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THE TWO VIRGINIAS.

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Greeleyism at a Discount—Review of Affairs in the Congressional Districts—The West Virginia Election and Its Results.

THE OLD DOMINION.

Status of Political Affairs—Candidates and Side Issues—Action of the Several Parties.

From Our Own Correspondent.

RICHMOND, Va., Tuesday, Sept. 3, 1872.

Political affairs are "mixed" just now in Virginia, and, in fact, have been more or less so ever since the memorable Wells and Walker campaign of 1869. The two parties have, by independent candidates, and by the introduction of local questions, been unable since 1869 to measure their strength in a contest squarely divided by party issues. Even in the approaching important struggle of November, if Greeley and Grant are the stars to which all eyes will be turned, it will be impossible to decide between the two parties in this State. A few Republicans (and but a few) will support Greeley, while numbers of Democrats will support Grant, while yet a greater number will decline to vote at all. From these facts you will observe that, let Virginia go as she will in the Fall, it will be no test of the relative strength of the two parties, except that if Greeley should carry the State, it will prove that the Republican Party is largely in the minority. This is an event possible, but, in my judgment, not probable. I am one of the few who have never believed the electoral vote of the South would be given to Horace Greeley—barring my calculations upon the introduction of a new and unlooked-for element in the struggle. This event will be put beyond a reasonable doubt, if the elections soon to take place in the Northern States prove favorable to the Administration, and if Indiana and Pennsylvania then should follow, the old white hat and coat will be sent to the dyer's in advance of the time predicted by Gen. Wise. They (the Greeleyites) will look for another port in the storm which has overtaken them, and I am confident any one affording them the slightest protection would be preferable to the one named Greeley.

Virginia politicians are whistling out of both corners of their mouths while the Louisville Convention is in session, and although it is not known how many, or who they are that are representing the State in Kentucky, sufficient is known to satisfy the most enthusiastic Greeleyite, that Virginia is ably represented in that body, when compared to the sort of material she furnished to the Cincinnati abortion. Hon. James Lyons, of this city, who has dealt Mr. Greeley blows from which he will never recover, headed the delegation, and left here last Saturday for Louisville. News from him is anxiously looked for, and while I have no doubt the Democratic papers here have entered into Greeley's plan to suppress news from the Convention, means will be found to make the people acquainted with its proceedings.

The Republicans, I fear, have made a great mistake in slaughtering the fatted ox of Chappaqua before the weather was sufficiently cool. We begin to fear the results of our invincible attack upon the traitors, who will, as soon as the October elections are decided, be spewed out of the mouths of both Democrats and Republicans, and a sweeter morsel to the former introduced. We have already determined the fate of Greeleyism in Virginia—it is defeated, defunct and dead—so rotten as to stink in the nostrils of many of the best men in the State. Some of us have worked hard for this result, and having the State already secure for Grant and Wilson, we are disposed to murmur at the prospect of seeing our labors destroyed by the introduction of a new and more dangerous element. Gen. Grant would have carried Virginia in November as certain as Horace Greeley remained his competitor, but if Charles O'Conor is nominated, Horace Greeley will be invited to take a back seat, and Virginia will go for O'Conor by a large majority. Greeley's backers here are now attaching conditions to their wagers never thought of before, and I do not believe you could get a bet taken of one to two, that Horace Greeley will be the next President.

While the Presidential campaign is in a muddle, we are unfortunately not free from complications in our Congressional matters.

In the First District there is no trouble. A harmonious convention having nominated James B. Sener, Esq., editor of the Fredericksburg *Ledger*, who is warmly and enthusiastically supported by every Republican in his district, in opposition to Hon. E. M. Braxton, present Democratic member of Congress from that district. Sener, together with Dr. W. W. Douglas, Presidential district elector, are doing splendid work, and will, if it is possible to overcome a considerable majority, win the fight.

In the Second District Hon. James H. Platt, Jr., has the field all to himself, except that one Dr. Norton, a negro of more vanity than brains, who seems determined to give trouble to the party, has determined, encouraged by a few enemies of Mr. Platt, to measure strength with him. This district is largely Republican, and will elect Mr. Platt beyond doubt.

In the Third District, embracing Richmond City, John Ambler Smith, Esq., Republican, and George D. Wise, Democrat, are the champions of their respective parties. This district was intended by the managers of the late disgraceful gerrymander to be made Democratic, but the country legislators failed to take into account the habit of their city friends here of stuffing ballot-boxes, which by the recent law of Congress may be prevented. If this is done by securing the services of Republicans as Supervisors who will not sell us out, we believe Mr. Smith can be elected, and will be if his own friends will but pursue a proper course. I have fears they will not. Mr. Smith has sufficient judgment to see for himself when he may be defeated, and I have no doubt will take proper means to correct the mistake now existing in time to save this district.

The Fourth District—this District, with a Republican majority of at least 10,000, made so by the recent gerrymander, is in truly an interesting condition. She is to labor, and it is impossible to tell what she will bring forth. Hon. W. B. H. Stowell and Hon. Charles H. Porter both claim to be the nominees of the party. This is a mistake, and I am surprised they should both think so. Both are members of the present Congress, and have had so agreeable times as to be anxious to return, or at least willing to do so. They are fighting each other vigorously, but, like the bear and lion, will most probably be robbed by the more cunning fox slipping in and carrying off the prize.

Col. John R. Popham, one of our ablest and most popular Republicans, has decided—whether wisely or not, time only can demonstrate—to run independent, and many of us think with a fair prospect of success. He claims that the candidacy of Porter, undisturbed by party organization, opens the door to all aspirants, always provided there is no danger of electing a Democrat. Col. Popham is, in vulgar parlance, "lightning," and when he takes a stand his adversaries may be sure he has calculated the chances of success.

He is a warm and ardent supporter of Grant and Wilson, a great admirer of the latter, who, to a certain extent, owes his nomination to his course in the Philadelphia Convention, as Chairman of the Virginia delegation. Should he be elected, no friend of the Administration, or of the Republican Party, will have cause to regret the result.

At some future time, I will be glad to furnish your readers with the status of affairs in the other five Congressional districts in this State. For the information of our friends in the North, I want to show them the difficulties we encounter in a canvass in the South, compared to those in the North, from which they will discover the hard labor we perform.

WEST VIRGINIA.

The Late Elections and their Effects—Greeleyism Dying Out—Interesting News.

From Our Own Correspondent.

MORGANTOWN, Monday, Sept. 2, 1872.

Although the smoke of battle has not yet cleared entirely away from the late political contest, and to an outside party the situation looks somewhat obscure, yet to one who has studied the people and the issues the results are plain and unmistakable.

A word or two in explanation of the situation, and then as to the results. At the October election of 1870 the Democrats elected their State ticket for the first time in the history of the State by a majority of about two thousand in a total vote of about sixty thousand, and secured a large majority of the Legislature. Among the first acts which engrossed their attention was one providing for submitting the question of calling a Convention to remodel or prepare a new Constitution. The call was sustained by a majority of about twenty-eight hundred in a vote of nearly sixty thousand, the Republican vote of 1870 and the vote against the call being practically the same, varying only six votes.

The Convention met in January last, and after a session of eighty-four days adjourned, submitting their work to the verdict of the people. The Convention consisted of seventy-eight members, of whom only twelve were Republicans. The Democratic side contained many Ex-Confederates, and upon the whole the Convention was a very able body, containing nearly forty lawyers, among them such men as Chas. James Faulkner, Ex-Lieut.-Gov. Samuel Price, Ex-Senator W. T. Willey, Sam'l Woods, Alpheus F. Haywood and others. But the gentlemen comprising the majority seemed to distrust the people, and the whole theory of the Constitution seems to be that the people are incapable of self-government. The terms of all executive, State and county officers are doubled; the terms of the Judiciary increased and placed in a position of almost complete independence, even of legislative animadversion, and the Legislature allowed to meet in biennial sessions only, with its powers greatly restricted; the whole system of local government for school and road purposes abolished by wiping out the township system and conferring all powers of taxation and the management of the fiscal and Police affairs of each county upon a County Court. This Court will consist of two Justices from each magisterial district, of which there shall not be less than three nor more than ten in each county, and a President elected by the county at large; the latter will receive four dollars and the other members of the Court three dollars per day, while actually employed. The President and two members of the body, to be selected alternately by lot, will constitute a Court, having original jurisdiction in all actions at law, when the amount in controversy exceeds twenty dollars, and also in all cases of *habeas corpus, quo warranto mandamus, prohibition, certiorari*, and in all sits in equity, and all matters of probate, and of criminal cases under the grade of felony. At the same time that the vote upon the Constitution was taken, a separate proposition, making only "white" persons eligible to office, was submitted, together with a schedule vacating all the offices of the State, and providing for electing new officers at the same time and place that the vote was to be taken on the Constitution, and also providing that, if ratified, the Constitution should relate back to and include the day upon which the election was held. These extraordinary provisions were twofold in their objects. First, to turn out a Judiciary elected by Republicans, whose terms would not expire for four and eight years, and second, by presenting a host of candidates for all the offices, to appeal to their cupidity to induce them to ratify the Constitution, in order to get the offices under it.

A full State ticket was put into the field by the Democrats, in May, with Johnson N. Camden for Governor. Gov. J. J. Jacob, the incumbent under whose lead the first victory of the party was obtained, and who by all rules of party usage was entitled to a renomination, was laid aside as not a plastic enough tool to the purposes of a regency which was controlling the party. Gov. Jacob refused to be ignored, and was at once announced as an independent candidate for re-election. The Republican Convention adjourned without nominating a State ticket. To add to the trouble in the Democratic camp, a great difference of opinion arose as to the proper time for electing Congressmen. The Legislature had provided that Congressmen should be elected on the same day upon which general State officers should be elected. The old Constitution fixed the election of State officers on the fourth Thursday of October; the new says the second Tuesday of October; but for the present year the schedule fixes the fourth Thursday of August. And the election of Congressmen by the act of the Legislature follows any change in the date of the election of State officers, made by competent power, as, for instance, the proposed Constitution. Many of the best lawyers of the State, without distinction of party, agree in entertaining the opinion that August is the only time at which Congressmen can be elected, and even those who claim October as the proper time admit grave doubts. Of course, Congress must eventually settle the question.

In the First District, Ben. Wilson was nominated by the Democrats, and Hon. J. D. Davis, the incumbent, an Anti-Greeley and straight Democrat of the Bourbon school, ran independently; in the Second District the Democrats made no nomination, alleging that August was not the proper time to elect, but the real reason was the fear of endangering the proposed Constitution by defeating either of two powerful rivals for the nomination, who would thereupon throw their influence against the Constitution, in order to have a second chance at the election which would take place in October if the Constitution should be defeated. The Republicans voted for J. Marshall Hogans, who was a member of the Constitution Convention, and Reporter of the Court of Appeals, who received a total vote of over 4,000. In the Third District both parties had their regularly-nominated candidates in the field.

But the demoralization was not completed until the indorsement of Greeley at Baltimore. This aided materially in the fight, and the result shows the election of Jacob, Anti-Greeley, as Governor, over Camden, the regular nominee and an indorser of Greeley, by over two thousand majority; Davis, Anti-Greeley, over Wilson, regular Greeley candidate in the First Congressional District, by over eight hundred, in a district that gave twelve hundred Democratic majority two years ago, and Hogans, Anti-Greeley, without opposition in the Second District. The Third District as a whole, we think, has probably elected a Greeley Congressman. Thus we have a gain of one in the State. The word "white" was rejected by a large majority. The Constitution is probably ratified by not exceeding twenty-five thousand majority in a State claiming a majority of ten thousand or fifteen thousand, and probably not exceeding seventy thousand. It is confidently expected that the State will go for Gen. Grant in November. The Democratic Party is largely divided upon the Presidency, and if O'Conor should be nominated by a respectable Convention at Louisville, he will receive a majority of the Democratic vote in the State. If no ticket is presented at Louisville, many Democrats will follow Mosby's example, and vote for Grant. You need no longer set West Virginia down as doubtful. Many prominent Democrats here concede her electoral vote to the soldier President.

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The Question of Sincerity.

The Germans of San Francisco have held a large and enthusiastic Grant and Wilson ratification meeting, and have been addressed by Gov. Salomon, of Washington Territory, and Gov. Booth, of California. From the latter's forcible and telling address we quote the following in relation to the hypocrisy of the Democratic supporters of Greeley: "The earnest, sincere acceptance by the Democracy of the Cincinnati platform as a whole would have been a moral triumph for the Republican Party equal to its highest achievements in the field. But there is a difference between lip-service and heart-service; between creed and faith; between the letter which killeth and the spirit that maketh alive. There is a difference between accepting a situation as a hard necessity and embracing it as a joyful opportunity. There is a difference between the spirit which says, 'The lines are hard, but it is so written,' and that which says, 'Before ever the world was it was true; though the foundations of the world should pass away it will remain true; therefore it is so written.' These principles are the trophies of the Republican Party. It achieved them in tribulation and trial. It clung to them when it was treading the wine-press. It bore them in the fires of battle—in the darkness of defeat it would not part with them; and, washed white in the blood of the faithful, it flung them to the glad light in the triumphant glory of victory! Come weal or come woe, come joy or sorrow, they are a part of its history forever. The practical question before the American people is, shall the Democratic Party succeed, with a platform and candidate it has accepted for the sake of success, or the Republican, with principles which are its traditions, and a candidate who is its spontaneous choice? It is not the office of President which is the great stake; it is the control of the Government—its legislative as well as its Executive Departments—its State and local as well as general administration. It is the moral effect upon our peace and tranquility at home, and on the progress of free institutions abroad. Bear in mind, there has been no pentecostal fire to convert the masses of the Democracy to new light. They receive the new doctrines as a party—not as men. They have been turned over in gross, as as a Colonel in the army is reported to have detailed a company to be baptized. They have been converted—not by a change of heart, but by a political edict—by a resolution in convention; and a resolution can do what a resolution has done."

LONG BRANCH.

The Season Drawing to a Close—"Home, Sweet Home."

From Our Own Correspondent.

LONG BRANCH, Friday, Sept. 6, 1872.

The clerk of the weather has issued his mandate to rude Boreas: "Blow, winds, and crack your cheeks! rage! blow!" and rude Boreas has got as far as the "blow." After eight weeks of longing and praying that this "too solid flesh would melt," and, like Mrs. Dombey, failing to make the one great "effort," Long Branch has come to the conclusion that it has got more than it bargained for; that a walk on the bluff is too chilly for enjoyment, that Summer costumes are no longer *en règle*, and that sea-bathing is a decided tax upon human endurance and perseverance. "One touch of nature makes the whole world kin." One gust of a cold south-easterly wind makes the whole world of Long Branch fly like a flock of sparrows. As at a theatre, the moment the curtain falls and the gas-lights are turned down, the gaily-dressed crowd hurries away, and where, a minute before, all was glare, glitter, life and bustle, all is now as dreary and silent as the last few lingerers will allow it to be. The password of the great army of fashionables has been issued. It is: "Home, Sweet Home;" in some cases repeated with a decided *presto, presto*, rendering of the air, in others, with an equally decided *rallentando*. It entirely depends how the sojourn by the sea has been enjoyed; whether the soldiers of the brigade of fashion be fair Amazons who are dun brown from the sun and his satellites, or whether they be fathers of families done brown by hotel-keepers and their subordinates. It is very much like the man who, when questioned about his religious orthodoxy by the elders of his church, replied that he did not quite know whether he was "how, which, what, whether or otherwise." Every one must wait till they are quietly settled in their New-York and Philadelphia homes before they can come to any just and satisfactory conclusion as to the results, socially or physically, of their Long Branch Summer campaign. They only know—that they can see for themselves from their hotel windows—that the Long Branch season is breaking, if not broken up; they all trust that sun and air and sea-bathing have made them "beautiful forever" far beyond what the devices of Mme. Rachel might accomplish, and that they are thus in a position to fight a Winter campaign under the captaincy of young Cupid, or, by a swift and skillful pursuit, to make sure of partially won victories. As for the men, they know that they are returning to the every-day grind of the tread-mill of business life. Many of them have never got away from it all the while they had been enviously supposed to be breakfasting, dining and supping on Atlantic breezes. But this is only one of the many fraudulent phases of fashionable life. To them Long Branch is a lie. They know it not—not in its reality. They dine, and sleep, and hurriedly swallow their morning cup of coffee at Long Branch. But they do not *live* there. They know none even of the superficial enjoyments of the place. Their holiday begins when they cease to have to travel backward and forward daily on the most unpunctual of railroads and over the sandiest and most dust-choking of railroad tracks. To them their home in New-York is the "haven where they would be at rest," and where they cease to blaspheme and empty their purses over Long Branch.

But Long Branch has decidedly had its say this Summer. Its hotels, cottages and boarding-houses have been crowded, and by a better class of people than it has known for the last two seasons. They have been here in greater numbers, with less show and more solidity than characterized the times of the triumvirate of Fisk, Gould and Hembold; and, if the hotel-keepers are to be believed, as I suppose they are, they have spent, in "a quiet sort of way," pretty nearly as much money, without making half the noise or giving half the trouble that those very obstreperous persons did. That the inevitable exodus will cause many a sigh and internal groan, there is no doubt. When men and women assemble at a generally understood rendezvous, with the generally understood purpose of making fools of themselves if they have the opportunity, the result is a foregone conclusion—happiness to some, misery to a few, and six weeks of subsequent sober reflection to the majority. There is, however, the comforting thought that at least some of the children and all of the nurses have derived physical benefit, while their parents and masters and mistresses were so laboriously playing holiday. It is too bad to think that when Mr. Dickens was visiting this country no one thought to turn his attention to Long Branch. He would have seen there his little Paul Dombey, and he would have seen there the acme of one of the many phases of high life below stairs—the perfection of full-blown "servantgalism." Why, even the nurse-girls turn up their noses at the well-bred rusticity of the excursionists, and give their diagnosis of, perhaps, one of the world's greatest savants, whom they may happen to see taking notes of what he is reading as he lies in a semi-recumbent position on the sands, as "only some newspaper reporter or something." They pass their time between slapping the shoulders of their young charges on the beach and snubbing the colored chamber-maids and waiters in the hotels. Two months in the year is not long to be a jack in office, and they, too, such when the Long Branch season comes to an end. *Sic transit gloria mundi.* The glory of Long Branch for the year 1872 has departed.

Another Letter the "Organ" Has Refused to Publish.

The following letter was addressed to the New-York *Tribune*, with a request to publish. As it has never appeared in the columns of that journal, it has been forwarded to the TIMES for publication:

ALFRED, N. Y., Aug. 17, 1872.

To the Editors of the New-York Tribune:

GENTLEMEN: Permit me, through the columns of your paper to offer a challenge to any woman in the State of New-York to furnish more votes for the re-election of President Grant than I. I having eight sons and a husband, all of whom have been readers of the *Tribune*, and from its past teachings can under no circumstances vote for the nominee of the Democratic Party, notwithstanding it is Horace Greeley himself. He having in his strongest language denounced the party as "traitors, blacklegs and thieves," who should under no circumstance be permitted to get control of the Government.

Very respectfully yours,

MRS. LEWIS CLARK.

DOOLITTLE'S "SOMETHING" ANALYZED.

What the Independent Press Thinks of the Senator's Explanation—A Cold Bath for an Ardent "Reformer"—Parting Words to a Politician Retiring from Business.

From the Chicago Evening Post.

If the letter does not show him to have been a criminal, it proves him to have been a most stupid blunderer, and presents him in a rare attitude of absurdity. Such a lack of sagacity is enough to disgrace an idiot asylum.

Now we desire to ask our unfortunate citizen four questions:

1. Does he suppose that Conatty—who, if he is a knave, is evidently not a fool—would have volunteered to give to Senator James R. Doolittle one-fourth of all his prospective profits, without any consideration whatever?

2. Does he not believe that Conatty expected that, in return for the one-fourth profits, Doolittle would use his official influence to push the scheme forward to success?

3. Why didn't Conatty happen to ask some other man to share his unmanageable fortune-to-be —— Jones, for instance, his crony, or Snooks, his room-mate?

4. Is it not about time for Doolittle to pull that white hat down over his eyes, climb down off the stump, and cease to make enthusiastic speeches for "Greeley and Reform?"

From the Toledo Blade.

A lamer attempt was never made by a rogue to wriggle out of the trap in which he was most effectually caught. Mr. Doolittle gets along very well until he begins to wrestle with the documents which bear the impress of his own handwriting. But here his equivocations and targiversations fail to serve his purpose. The wonder of the American people today is that a rogue of so much skill and low, grasping cunning should have ever put himself so palpably in the power of a confederate as he did. * * * It is well to have the mouth of such a hypocritical maligner sealed in appropriate silence. Doolittle has figured long enough in the rôle of a dignified, high-toned, repectable statesman. The mask has fallen at last. He has read the character and the actions of better men in the light of his own innate meanness, malignity and selfishness. Wringing contributions out of men to whose success he had lent himself, he, like all other rogues, supposed that whoever received a gift from any source got it in the same way he did. His little game is blocked, and he stands disclosed in his true character. He cannot again deceive the public as he has been doing the whole period of his public career.

From the Lockport Daily Journal.

Mr. Doolittle seems to think that he and his associates in private and confidential relations were the only parties interested. Two burglars in their "private and confidential" arrangements to appropriate and fairly divide the contents of the vaults of a bank may imagine that they are the only "parties" interested, and if the funds are fairly and honestly divided it is unwelcome interference for other parties to intrude. But there are other parties deeply interested; the stockholders of the bank are especially interested. All good citizens, also, feel an interest in the security of public and private property.

From the Albany Evening Journal.

Those who recollect the self-laudatory tone of the letters—which the Senator wrote himself—will not deem this explanation satisfactory. They revealed a pecuniary partnership which could not have been entered into honorably by a Senator of the United States. All the facts in the case cast a deep shade upon the Senator's character as a pattern "Reformer."

From the Buffalo Commercial Advertiser.

Those who read Ex-Senator Doolittle's reply to the charges brought against him, will be surprised to find it displayed in the Democratic journals as "a square and manly denial," and with this other head-line: "The NEW-YORK TIMES falsehood nailed." This is the way in which it was introduced to the readers of the Buffalo *Courier*, and we presume that our neighbor only followed the fashion set by its leading Greeleyite contemporaries. * * Now Doolittle not only does not deny having written these letters, but he admits that they are genuine. But, he whines, "nobody knows better than the tone of the letters that they were never intended for publication." And this is what the Buffalo *Courier* calls "a square and manly denial!" Poor Doolittle! Poor *Courier!*

From the Norwich, Conn., Bulletin.

This is all very well, but Mr. Doolittle takes good care not to deny the genuineness of the documents which have been published, and which are in his handwriting. One of these documents is a letter written by Doolittle and addressed to himself, for Conatty to copy, offering the Senator a share of the profits, and a reply in which Doolittle accepts the offer, stating at the same time as he does now, that he did not aid in procuring the permit. Oh, it was a nice little game!

From the Detroit Post.

Mr. Doolittle has been stumping the country, abusing Gen. Grant for taking gifts, talking loudly about reform, purity and all that sort of thing. In view of these revelations, and proofs, it is high time for Jimmy to get down off the "reform" Greeley stump, hide his face and his "belly of brass" behind the Greeley hat and fan, and retire to some sequestered spot where he can practice in seclusion the complete art of letter writing. Doolittle was President of the Baltimore Convention which nominated Greeley. It was highly fitting that such a Convention, to make such a nomination, should be presided over by such a corrupt "scallawag."

From the Peoria (Ill.) Transcript.

We think the above extract amply sufficient to settle the case of Mr. Doolittle. He is his own worst witness. The scandalous transaction is all set forth in the Conatty correspondence, and Doolittle confesses to writing it. By the bye, while the Ex-Senator is at the business, suppose he tells the public how it came about that his son became a partner in the Tice meter swindle?

From the Milwaukee Sentinel.

There was only one thing wanting to make Mr. Doolittle's disgrace complete. Many honest people, that had the same reverence for him that simple Tom Pinch had for Mr. Pecksniff, doubted the genuineness of the letters published by the NEW-YORK TIMES. Doolittle in his defense acknowledges that he wrote them. A confession by him completes the damaging exposure. Mr. Doolittle has been especially censorious toward the President and other Federal officials for receiving gifts. On this subject he has expended an immeasurable quantity of mournful eloquence in every quarter of the country. So far as that accusation is concerned, he was talking like an arrant hypocrite, for, according to the letters, which he confesses that he wrote, he himself, while he was United States Senator, made elaborate arrangements with Conatty for receiving a gift.

From the Washington Star.

We have read the full text of Mr. Doolittle's letter, in which he undertakes to explain away the Conatty cotton permit charges, and in the light of the most favorable view that can be taken of the case, we feel bound to say that the Ex-Senator fails to relieve himself from a most discreditable predicament. * * * Either horn of the dilemma will be found an uncomfortable resting place for a volunteer champion of purity and integrity in official and private life, and, on the whole, we think Mr. Doolittle will do well to keep off the stump for the remainder of the campaign. His record is not such as to give weight to his teachings.

From the Baltimore American.

It seems that it was our distinguished fellow-citizen, Hon. Reverdy Johnson, who took the pains to ask Mr. Doolittle for an explanation of the damaging story published in the NEW-YORK TIMES about certain cotton speculations in which the Ex-Senator desired to take a fourth interest without investing any capital. * * We should be greatly indebted to Mr. Johnson should he publish his letter in reply to this one from Mr. Doolittle. We would like to know what the great lawyer thinks of Mr. Doolittle's system of ethics.

From the Washington Chronicle.

Mr. Doolittle protests that he did not, in this or any other transaction, violate his Senatorial obligation or use his power dishonorably. He claims that the publicity given to these private letters is an infamous betrayal of confidence. We are not disposed to take issue with him upon this point. Perhaps Mr. Conatty will be able to justify himself in this breach of confidence. Certainly the assaults upon Gen. Grant have been of a character to prevent Mr. Doolittle from making much of this plea. Upon the whole, it is clear that his mission as a reformer is not likely to be a success.

From the St. Paul (Minn.) Daily Press.

Mr. Doolittle seemed to have been struck dumb by the exposure of his hypocrisy, dishonesty, and official corruption in the matter of his confidential arrangements for a divide with Conatty of the profits of his cotton-trading speculation. But silence was implied confession; and Mr. Doolittle now painfully stammers through a bungling explanation which is ten times worse for him than even silence; for it is a mass of thin and pitiable prevarication and petty, shuffling evasions, through which, however, the essential truth of Conatty's statement stands confessed, and glows and burns like a fire through the gossamer screen of Mr. Doolittle's painfully labored but ineffectual devices.

From the Dayton (Ohio) Journal.

It makes no difference, either, whether the papers were "private and confidential," for Doolittle admits that the papers were drawn. According to his statement they were only "a memorand to be preserved for the private use of the parties only." That is, for the benefit of Doolittle and his partners, the people of the United States not being parties. It seems to us, from the telegraphic abstract of Doolittle's confession, that he would have been as well off had he remained silent.

From the Green Bay (Wis.) State Gazette.

We have already published the letters he wrote to himself and from himself to his pal and confederate, in regard to a huge steal he hoped to accomplish through a 50,000 bale cotton permit, and which the collapse of the rebellion bursted, as it did many another unrighteous hope. But while we published the letters, we really hoped and partly expected that "Truthful James" would rise and explain—hoped he would deny the base and shameful part he had in the transaction. But that hope is destroyed.

From the New-Haven Journal & Courier.

The story of Conatty is consistent in itself, but if we admit all that Mr. Doolittle says, the fact remains unquestioned that he accepted an offer which he expected would yield him a fortune—an offer so great that he declared himself "without words to tell you how much it affects me." And this while he held a seat in the Senate of the United States. Now he is perambulating the country retailing false charges of "gift-taking" against the President!

From the Cleveland Daily Herald.

Senator Doolittle rises to explain his connection with Conatty's cotton business, but makes poor work of it. * * If this Greeleyite apostle of political purity can make no better showing when he rises to explain, he had better in future keep in the seat and hide his head.

From the Rochester Express.

Doolittle admits the genuineness of the letters contained in the Conatty affidavit, but says that they were simply "private and confidential memoranda," which were "to be preserved for private use by the parties themselves," and contends that he has done nothing "which, if known to the whole world, would stain my (his) honor as a Senator and a man." Unfortunately for Mr. Doolittle, the letters in evidence, the genuineness of which he admits, are against this assumption. This chief reformer can stand aside. Next!

From the Troy Daily Whig.

What is there in Doolittle's denial to palliate the glaring falsehood apparent in his letter to Conatty when he professes to have been ignorant of the whole business until he received Conatty's offer, and the falsehood which he imposed upon Conatty when he induced him to say that he gave Doolittle the share in the profits as a "present on his own part?"

From the Milwaukee Evening Wisconsin.

Mr. Doolittle considers that there is no immorality in the fact that he accepted a large interest in the cotton permit, and that he subsequently exerted himself to make it a success. It strikes us this is a palpable violation of the great principle of civil service reform for which the Greeley advocates have been blustering about all over the country. Had not Mr. Doolittle assumed such a high moral attitude in denunciation of what he terms the corruptions of Grant's Administration, the national attention would not have been attracted to the Conatty correspondence. It is the circumstance that Doolittle assumes to be a reformer, and that he promises the nation a better life under the Greeley management, that causes the people to abhor the hypocrisy so manifest in the Conatty correspondence.

From the Chicago Inter-Ocean.

Ex-Senator Doolittle has at last had something to say in regard to the Conatty correspondence. He might as well have kept still. His reply, or explanation, (call it what you will,) is a confession that the letters are genuine, and the letters speak for themselves. * * * Mr. Doolittle can make fresh denials such as was not the case, he may redeem himself, but not before. In the meantime Horace Greeley had better hire him to keep still.

From the Trenton State Gazette.

Senator Doolittle makes a lame defense against the charge of the NEW-YORK TIMES that he sold his Senatorial influence to one Conatty for a share of the plunder in a cotton-buying speculation. He denies that there is any truth in the story, and gives as his reason for so doing that he would certainly remember if he had made any such corrupt bargain, and he cannot remember. This is extremely thin.

From the New-Haven Palladium.

Ex-Senator Doolittle would have done better, since he had nothing better to say, to have preserved silence. His attempted excuse leaves him in a worse position than before he made it. * * * If Mr. Doolittle believes in judgments he would be apt to attribute the ill-success of his little speculation to the dodge it was initiated with. If he had not been so anxious about his character as to insist on having a letter to prove he had no connection with the speculation, he would not have been found out. This comes from being too cunning, Mr. Doolittle, and yet you were not cunning enough. You should have made your correspondent write to you in your presence, and then destroy the copy you furnished him.

From the Philadelphia Evening Telegraph.

A more disreputable affair than this bargaining of a Senator with his constituents, this making of private fortunes by the peddling of legislation in high places, has not latterly been divulged in American politics, and it is not likely that the public will forget it very easily, no matter how limber Mr. Doolittle's own memory may have grown. With all his barefacedness, however, Doolittle does not deny that Conatty and he had such a transaction as that exposed by the NEW-YORK TIMES and published in this paper. He cannot deny it, for it is matter of record, but he gingerly walks around it, affirming that whatever the matter was it was a private one, with which the outside world had no concern. That, in fact, is his defense, but whether the public will consider it a defense remains to be seen. According to our view—possibly an old-fashioned one—no act can be called private in a public man which involves the making of money out of contracts or bargains got in the way of legislation, and which a legislator uses his official position to obtain; and just this it is clearly enough proved Mr. Doolittle did do.

From the Boston Transcript.

Senator Doolittle, in his denial of the allegations of the NEW-YORK TIMES, states that "the only papers ever drawn by me in relation to any matter between us were drawn in his presence, at his suggestion, and with his full consent and approval, upon the mutual understanding that such papers were simply private and confidential memoranda to be preserved for private use by the parties themselves." The public would like to know if the letters which Conatty asserts were written by Senator Doolittle for him to sign were included in these papers. If so, Mr. Doolittle's denial is simply a confession of the truth of the principal charge. Why did not the Ex-Senator brand the published letters as forgeries? When he sees their damaging effect in lithographic form he may do something desperate.

From the Syracuse Journal.

Ex-Senator Doolittle puts in a general denial of the very serious charges preferred against him, in the Conatty cotton transaction, by the NEW-YORK TIMES. His defense, as noted by the telegraph, does not appear to meet the charges—it is simple reproval of his partner in the cotton speculation, for having betrayed a private arrangement between them. Doolittle in his reform rôle is played out.

From the Ogdensburg Daily Journal.

It will be observed that he does not deny that he wrote the damaging letters to and from Conatty, but says that he wrote them at his solicitation, and with his request and approval. Thus it will be seen that the Ex-Senator denies no material fact, and saves any further evidence to prove that the published letters are genuine. He will probably remain in silence after this lame attempt to whitewash himself.

From the Quincy (Ill.) Whig.

Ex-Senator Doolittle has put in a constructive denial to the charges of Conatty of engaging in a little cotton speculation, but indirectly confesses to the genuineness of the letters. This is a denial with a vengeance.

From the Boston Journal.

It only remains for the public to put on as grave a face as possible and to assure Mr. Doolittle, if he needs the hint, that his services can be dispensed with for the remainder of this campaign. All the ingenious hypotheses in the world to explain this transaction cannot dispel its ugly features. What made Mr. Doolittle offer himself—we mean, what made this Conatty offer Mr. Doolittle one-quarter of his expected profits in a particular venture, in which the Senator could and him? Why did Mr. Doolittle take the trouble to write these letters, which were forever to remain "simply private memoranda?" Does not their wording show that they were expressly intended to be published, if occasion required?—though we can well believe that their common authorship was to remain a secret. Western editors, we observe, are most struck by the unaccountable stupidity of leaving such papers in Conatty's hands; but the whole case so abounds in ridiculous and suggestive features, that we shall attempt no selection. Let the people reflect upon it and draw their own inferences.

From the Minneapolis Tribune.

No, no—to use the expressive vernacular of the day—Mr. Doolittle's explanation is "too thin;" "it won't wash." We would suggest that it would be commendable in Mr. Doolittle to at once join that long line of "modern Reformers" who, within the brief period of the campaign already passed, have been obliged to go into retirement, rather than for him to come to Minnesota to instruct her people in the proper code of political ethics.

From the Newark Advertiser.

How does this leave Senator Doolittle? We are asked to believe that Conatty gave to Doolittle one-fourth of a very valuable interest, without any consideration whatever, and at the same time we are to believe that there is no value in the admitted fact that Doolittle wrote a letter full of fulsome eulogy of himself for Conatty to sign, and also wrote his own reply and put that in Conatty's hands, without any other reason than that they were a Jonathan and David brace of fellows, and his soul clave unto David—or at least to the cotton permit. This reply is thinner than Chappaqua water.

From the Richmond Journal.

Ex-Senator Doolittle has at last broken the silence in reference to the serious charges brought against him in the NEW-YORK TIMES. He does not, however, deny the authenticity or truthfulness of the documents published in the TIMES, or deny that the letters published as written by him are genuine, and his defense, judging from the unsatisfactory abstract of his letter given by telegraph, will scarcely convince the country of his entire innocence in the matter.

From the Binghamton Republican.

Doolittle's account of the manner in which he was to be rewarded privately, very privately, as he iterates and reiterates, for his high position and honesty, by means of a swindling speculation, of which his part of the profits were estimated at half a million of dollars—this sum, it is to be borne in mind, to be paid to him, without subjecting him to a single risk of business or without investing a dollar—will give him an abiding notoriety, as a cunning and thoroughly-unscrupulous politician, a Senator not above the miserable shifts of the most corrupt schemers, and a citizen who has the effrontery to hold up his head in brazen defense of an act which can only be explained by a corrupt purpose.

From the Buffalo Express.

So far as his defense is concerned, if we may so call his recent letter to Mr. Johnson, we think that silence would have been less damaging to him. He makes no denial of the charges which are brought by the NEW-YORK TIMES, but seeks a justification by claiming that there was no corrupt intent. As this is a matter not easily proven, his mere assertion of his intentions will avail him but little. The fact that the written memoranda were made with great care by the Senator, and, as he says, only for the "private use of the parties concerned," shows that there were some features of the business which he thought had better be kept from the public. This disclosure has had a terrible effect upon Mr. Doolittle. It has driven from the stump the most conspicuous Greeley advocate in the country.

From the Fishkill Journal.

Senator Doolittle has finally been compelled, through the force of public opinion, to attempt a defense of his alleged exacting of money for his influence in procuring a permit for one Conatty to purchase cotton during the rebellion. His defense is a virtual admission of all that has been charged against him, only, of course, he tries to justify himself. This will not do, Mr. Doolittle. You self-styled "Reformers" are banded together for the avowed purpose of making war against just such corruptions as you have acknowledged yourself guilty of, and lo! it turns out that the beam is in the eye of almost every Pharisaical "Reformer." It is plain that it is not reform, but spoils that you Greeleyites want.

From the La Crosse (Wis.) Republican.

Mr. Doolittle's letter needs no comment, and it entirely fails to relieve Mr. Doolittle of the dilemma in which he is placed. The character of Conatty, or the truthfulness of the statements in his affidavits, has nothing to do with this matter. It is Mr. Doolittle's own letters which are the witnesses against him, and he does not deny the genuineness of these. It is not charged that Mr. Doolittle committed any actual crime—he only proposed to realize a very handsome sum without investment or risk, and the morality of the affair is not affected by the fact that the proposed speculation did not succeed. The fact stands there, and must and will bring to every face a smile of derision when coupled with the other fact that Mr. Doolittle advertises himself as the very paragon of political Reformers.

From the Providence Journal.

After a silence so long as to become suspicious Senator Doolittle replies to the accusations of the NEW-YORK TIMES, that he, the Senator, had used his political influence for private purposes. This Mr. Doolittle does not deny. What he says, and all he says, is that his influence was never exerted in writing, and that the bargain between him and Conatty was intended to be confidential. We submit that this does not place the Senator either in a dignified or a pure position. To begin with, it would have been the most unnatural thing in the world, if it was merely a friendly or political interest which Doolittle took in Conatty, that he should have written a note for him to the influential personage whose Conatty desired to propitiate; on the other hand if there was anything secret, confidential and rather out of the ordinary track of square dealing, it would be just the course

NEW PUBLICATIONS.

RECOLLECTIONS OF SOCIETY IN FRANCE AND ENGLAND. By Lady CLEMENTINA DAVIES. London: HURST & BLACKETT. New-York: SCRIBNER, WELFORD & ARMSTRONG.

Lady Clementina Davies was born a Drummond. "Allied by the twofold tie of blood and gratitude to the Stuarts, the chiefs of the Drummonds," she tells us, "enjoyed the singular distinction of being proscribed and plundered at both the English revolution of 1688 and the French Revolution of 1789." Her ancestor John, first Earl of Melfort, was Secretary of State to James II., and like his elder brother, James, fourth Earl of Perth, Lord Chancellor of Scotland, he accompanied his royal master in his flight to France. The Chateau of St. Germain was generously assigned to the exiled King of England as a residence by Louis XIV., and the Earl of Melfort had a splendid suite of rooms beneath those occupied by His Majesty, which the progenitors of Lady Davies held for nearly a century afterward, visiting them, during a part of that period, only occasionally. In the French Revolution of 1789 they were driven from France. They had resided there, however, only as British subjects, for the immense claims which they had in Scotland led them to assert their rights in this regard on all occasions. Lady Clementina was a daughter of Lord Maurice Drummond, youngest son of James, Third Earl, Duke of Melfort. She was born in the Chateau de St. Germain, on Nov. 21, in the fourth year of the first French Republic. Her noble ancestry and the vicissitudes through which her family had passed, very naturally secured her the widest privileges in the highest circles in both French and English society, and in these volumes of *Recollections*, which are marked by singular freedom and, it might almost be said, by entire lack of reserve, we have a remarkable *mélange* of anecdote, combining with much that is trivial and frivolous a very large proportion of incident that is historically interesting, while nearly all of it is highly entertaining.

Lady Davies gossips regarding her own personal history with quite as much freedom as she does about that of the distinguished characters with whom she was almost daily thrown in contact. She was early betrothed to Count Maurice de la Fare, and the engagement, which lasted for years, was finally broken off through "circumstances involving family considerations of property," over which neither of them had any control. Lady Davies remarks that it was fortunate that the strict conventionalities of French society so encompassed her and the Count that "they had precluded the possibility" of their discovering a fund of sympathy and sentiment for themselves and being made wretched by the fact of their long and ultimately frustrated engagement. This single incident is the only gleam of romance which seems to have flashed over this part of her younger days. "Though not allowed to converse," she writes, "we were permitted to sing; and sometimes the Count would bring a new song for me to try, the printed words of which were interlined in pencil with what he had to say. This song he would afterward take away, but not until I had read the words he had written."

Her next experience in this direction, however, was not destined to be so commonplace. Several propositions were made for her hand after the engagement with the Count had been broken off, "but," she naively adds, "as I had no preference for any of my would-be suitors, I begged my father to decide for me." He fixed upon one Baron Von S——, an Austrian, whose fortune was estimated at £300,000 and his income at £15,000 per annum. But the Baron was "short, ugly, middle-aged, and had a strong German accent," and Miss Drummond conceived a dislike for him, which was strengthened by sundry unfavorable reports. Her father was firm, however, in his determination that the marriage should be consummated, and the daughter assented, alleging at the same time her determination not to reside with the Baron. In the course of a discussion one day regarding the marriage settlements, Lord Drummond plumply asked the Baron what he would settle on his daughter in case of her dislike to live in Germany with him. But the Baron replied:

"'I do not marry in order to live separate from my wife, and therefore I should not think proper to settle anything upon her if she did not choose to reside with me.'

My father, who was very passionate, replied: 'Do you really think my daughter would marry an ugly ape like you, unless, if she chose, she could live independently of you?'

Of course a challenge followed this insult; but Miss Drummond succeeded in keeping it from the knowledge of her father, and finding that she could only save him from the danger of a duel by marrying the Baron, finally agreed to do so. After various vicissitudes, the wedding-day approached. On the Saturday before the Wednesday on which the wedding was to take place, Miss Drummond and her betrothed were at a large dinner-party. The Baron having managed to secure an opportunity for private conversation with her, began by saying:

"'You never allow me to speak to you, so that you really do not know me. Have you ever read *Jacques le Fataliste?*'"

I answered 'No.'

'Well,' he continued, 'that book proves that what is to be must be; our marriage was written in heaven, and therefore it will take place.'

Afterward he added, in a tone of self-adulation, but with a voice as harsh as before, 'You don't know me; you don't know how clever your future husband is.'

Of course, to this I could make no answer; and then, either by force of self-conceit or from sheer incapacity to understand the vast difference (according to other people's perceptions) between cunning and talent, or under a belief that I should be more bound to him if so convinced, beyond the possibility of doubt, of the magnitude of his wealth, no matter how acquired, he almost petrified me into attention by disclosing the fact that the amount of money which he possessed was mainly due to nothing more nor less than a fraud upon Government. His statement abbreviated was this:

Prince Metternich's estates were seized by Bonaparte when he took possession of everything available down the Rhine. When the Bourbons were restored to France, Baron Barbier was instructed by the Prince and other claimants to demand the revenues due to them from the time when the estates were kept by France, but this without success on the part of Baron Barbier. Baron von S—— was aware of this, and he consequently wrote to Prince Metternich and the other claimants that if they would place their claims in his hands altogether, independently of the Ambassador or any one else, he would undertake to bring them to a speedy and satisfactory conclusion, as he knew people in office, and how to deal with them. This was in 1820.

Full power was accordingly given to the Baron, and in various ways he acted upon it. He went to the Bureau, well knowing the clerks there, spent some few thousand pounds in bribery, and frustrated all subsequent inquiries from the Ambassador by purchasing silence and co-operation on the part of those whose payment depended on his ultimate success. Having, at length, managed to get all necessary papers into his hands, and to obtain a claim, had three months afterward he received the whole of the money. To Prince Metternich and others he forwarded the full amount that was due them, and received not only letters of thanks in return, but many praises for the diplomatic skill with which he had acted.

'But now to explain to you how I got so large a sum of money for myself,' added the originator of these transactions, when narrating them to me with self-chuckling satisfaction,—'now to explain. I made up the claim to last April, (1820,) and the stupid French Government paid me up to the date at which I sent in the claim, instead of only to 1814, the date of the Bourbon Restoration—£60,000 a year and six years over the real time! I pocketed the amount of those six years over and above what I had to pay to others, and this amounted to more than £300,000. The sum of £30,000 I paid to the clerks who had served me so well."

A few other particulars were added, but Miss Drummond, struck speechless with horror and amazement, paid little attention to them, and, as soon as the company had separated, communicated to her host the astounding revelation. Inquiries followed which made it clear that Baron von S—— was not insane, but that he had told the actual truth. An hour after he found that his affianced had disclosed his secret; he fled from Paris and was never seen there again. Thus ended Lady Clementina's second betrothal.

If this curious narrative does not out-Braddon Miss Braddon herself, we refer those in search of the romantic and tragic to the story which Lady Clementina tells of the career of Emily, daughter of the Baroness von B——. This girl, who is described as "perfectly lovely," at sixteen commenced her career by forging love-letters in the name of her cousin, Matilda, to one Baron von Guel. No less than five different duels were at one time imminent as the result of this entanglement, but the authorities succeeded in interrupting them. The difficulty did not end there, however. Lady Clementina's brother became involved in the affair, and was challenged by the Baron. In his letter the bloodthirsty Baron wrote:

"I fix our meeting at two weeks date from this, as on my way to Paris I have two other appointments."

In the first of these appointments he shot his adversary dead; but in the next of them his antagonist drew the first fire, and the Baron von Guel was mortally wounded. He then made his second hold him up that he might return the fire, and thus he did with such effect that his adversary, shot through the heart, fell down dead simultaneously with himself. This was the end of Baron von Guél; but the second on the opposite side, declaring that it was murder to have held him up when he was mortally wounded, a quarrel ensued between the two survivors left on the ground. They at once fired at each other, and Baron von Guél's second was killed also. And thus in one morning were slain three young men, all of them under twenty-five years of age."

But this is aside from Emily von B. She not only confessed her fault as regarded her cousin Matilda, but acknowledged that she had received many valuable presents from the Baron von Guél, who supposed that she was enabling him to keep up intercourse with the cousin whom he admired. Shocked at her conduct, her aunt sent her to still another aunt, the Baroness von V. That lady found she was exercising her fascination upon her son, and, when cautioned, Emily at once declared she would marry another cousin, Capt. M——, which she did, going with him to India, where her husband's regiment was stationed. From this time on her career was one which the most sensational novel can hardly parallel. Her first husband committed suicide, her second was killed in battle, and her third procured a divorce very shortly after marriage, while she died shortly after her fourth marriage, which was actually performed with the heartless bride arrayed in part of the trousseau provided for her third wedding.

But we shall do Lady Clementina's "Recollections" an injustice, if, by giving prominence to these "sensationalities," we create the impression that this is their staple. Highly spiced with them though they may be, it is safe to say that no similar volumes lately issued have given us glimpses—and in incidents so frankly and freely told—of so many genuine notabilities. Her father, Lord Drummond, aided in the attempted flight of Marie Antoinette to Varenne at the outbreak of the French Revolution in 1791, and for this act of friendship to the Queen he was confined for eleven months in the prison of St. Yon, in Normandy, only receiving his release after the downfall of Robespierre. From her grandmother, Lady Clementina derived numerous interesting and pleasing incidents of the earlier life of Marie Antoinette. Talleyrand was long a most intimate friend of her family, rendering them important services in their efforts to enforce their claims against the French Government. She defends him with much warmth from the charge of political fickleness commonly made against him, and says that he himself "earnestly denied having shifted his ministerial position according to the varying and various success of King or Emperor. In private he repelled this charge as most unjust, and declared that he had only left the service either of King or Emperor when he experienced such resistance to his advice that he was certain, as he once told Napoleon I., "all further progress must be descent;" and when, as upon another occasion, he only too truly warned His Imperial Majesty that the "commencement of the end had come."

Voltaire is described, upon his return to Paris, in 1788, as wearing a huge Louis Quatorze wig of wool, surmounted by a red cap trimmed with fur. In form and face he was, as he himself said, a mere skeleton, "but his eyes still gleamed with such marvelous brilliancy that their magnetic power was felt by all upon whom they shone." Dr. Franklin, who was then in Paris, brought his grandson to Voltaire, asking him to bless the lad. The populace so overwhelmed him with manifestations of enthusiasm that the French priesthood dreaded his presence in the capital. The cry of *Vive Voltaire* was constantly resounding, and 'there he is,' was shouted in the streets whenever he entered his carriage and drove out. 'I am stifled,' said he, 'but it is beneath roses.' And the roses were too sweet to him, for he loved this adulation, though the excitement of it was killing him." The representation of "Irene," a new tragedy by Voltaire, at the Comedie Française, was a complete ovation, but the excitement of it was too great for the author. After its representation he returned to his hotel, and Lady Clementina writes:

"His physicians prescribed remedies to calm his nerves. He could not sleep, and the friend of his youth, the Duc de Richelieu (who was reported to have been initiated into the secret of perpetual vigor, and to have drank the golden elixir of life at the hands of the young Count de St. Germain,) sent an opiate to him, with due directions for dividing the dose. Voltaire, eager for rest and impatient of pain, swallowed the opiate, but forgot the directions; in consequence of which he soon slept too profoundly for either priest or doctor to arouse him. When the lethargy produced by the drug had partially exhausted itself he awakened for a moment, and nick-named the Duc de Richelieu 'Brother Cain.' Then he relapsed into such a state of unconsciousness that he was with difficulty, if at all, that either the Curé de St. Sulpice or the Abbé Gauthier, both of whom were anxious to convert the philosopher on his death-bed, could get him to make a last confession."

Tom Moore was one evening entertaining a company at which Lady Davies was present, by singing some of his own Irish melodies. "His voice," she tells us, "was by no means powerful, but it was a 'whisper from the soul,' and so exquisitely sympathetic in its pathos, that listening to it one's eyes were apt to fill with tears." While the company were entertained with the enjoyment, the Duke of York and Prince Leopold were suddenly announced. Those present rose to receive the distinguished guests, but on reseating themselves and looking toward the piano for the continuation of the song, Moore was nowhere to be found. It afterward appeared that he had taken advantage of the temporary distraction of attention from himself to escape from the room and the house, alleging as his reason that his political antipathy to the Duke of York was so intense that under no consideration would he sing in his presence.

Distinguished actors and actresses, among them Mr. Jordan, Mrs. Siddons, John Kemble and Ristori, with famous literary characters, come in for their share of these recollections. Of Miss Joanna Baillie, we have this indicrous reminiscence. During a visit which Lady Davies once made to Lord Fife, Sir William Cumming Gordon, Miss Baillie and Miss Clavering, a brilliant brunette, were among the guests, all of whom took part in a picnic to St. Bernard's Well:

"Miss Clavering's mother, Lady Augusta Clavering, was her chaperon on this occasion, and Sir William Cumming Gordon was one of her admirers. Rambling about in different groups, I remember to the surprise of all on one occasion at the protracted absence of Miss Baillie. That genial old maid was nowhere to be seen; but some of us going back a little way, we espied her seated on a stile and making frantic signals to us. Sir William Cumming Gordon had been apparently engrossed by his attention to Lady Augusta Clavering and her daughter, and he declared that never before had he known Miss Clavering so fascinating; but although hitherto attaching himself exclusively that morning to the fair brunette and her mother, we found him running away in another direction and laughing immoderately as we approached the stile on which poor Miss Baillie was mysteriously perched, and in evident excitement. He had fled out of our sight. We thought his conduct eccentric, but it was not until we reached the stile that we became aware of the iniquitous cause of it. For there sat Miss Baillie immovable, but so inarticulate with rage that it was with some difficulty she explained to us how, just as she was about to get over the stile, Sir William had, with a great show of politeness, grave and humane, proffered her in that awkward operation, and how, entirely trusting to his aid, she had put one foot over the top bar, and was carefully drawing her dress after her, when, quick as lightning, he knotted her ankles together with a pocket-handkerchief and ran off as fast as his legs could carry him. Of course we all shared Miss Baillie's indignation, and lost no time in extricating her, while the delinquent had meantime rejoined Lady Augusta Clavering and her daughter, and was helping them over the stepping-stones of a brook with the utmost politeness. Afterward, when Lady Augusta was made aware of the trick that had been practiced upon poor Miss Baillie, she joined her entreaties with those of the company in persuading that discomfited lady to accept Sir William's profuse apologies, but this not until he had bound himself to take twenty numbers for a raffle that was about to be held under the offended lady's superintendence."

The perfect credulity which Lady Clementina exhibits regarding the supernatural is almost enough to make the reader distrust the reliability of her recollections. In the very first chapter we are regaled with illustrations of Cagliostro's wonderful powers; and toward the latter part of the work some of Home's performances are described. Besides these, numerous "supernatural coincidences" are recorded, which the chronicler or her friends had observed. At one time Lady Clementina herself hears the tread of ghostly boots passing the door of her bed-chamber. At another, her brother, who was shipwrecked on the coast of Barbadoes, was rescued, together with his fellow-passengers and the crew of the vessel, by a "shadowy form" which appeared on the top of the rocks upon which the ship had been driven, and fastened a rope thrown from the vessel so securely that it proved a sufficient means of escape for all. As this "shadowy form" did not put in an appearance afterward, and even declined to answer advertisements offering a reward, we are, of course, left to infer that he was superhuman.

This extreme gullibility, if we may be pardoned so severe a term, and the very curious tone in which Lady Clementina discusses some of the social incidents which she describes, will, perhaps, detract somewhat from the satisfaction with which many may read these delightful recollections; yet these very characteristics mark the reminiscences as a more perfect reflection of the times in which their author lived and of the tone of the society in which she moved. While the *Recollections* make no pretension to literary merit, it would be difficult to name any similar recent work which covers so wide a range of anecdote, and which is likely to prove more interesting to that large class who read simply for amusement.

ABYSSINIA.

Interesting Details as to the State of the Country.

The Bombay papers publish the following extracts from a letter addressed by Lieut. Prideaux (who lately visited Massowah for the purpose of delivering the presents of the English Government to Prince Kassa (of Tigré,) to the Political Resident at Aden: "I could not learn much about the internal state of Abyssinia while at Massowah. The country is parceled out among different chiefs, who at present appear to be on good terms with one another, and who are pretty nearly equal in strength. Dejaj Kassa, although he has assumed the ancient title of the Emperor of Abyssinia, has no power beyond the limits of Tigré. Gondar and a considerable portion of Bagender and the Amhara country are in the hands of Kas Waregna, Gajum and Damot in those of Kas Adal. The southern portion of Bagemder, including the important towns of Kuaratu and Debra Tabor, is governed by Ali Bien, the Chief of Yedjow, while Socota and a large portion of Lasta are ruled by Wakshun Seferri, who owns allegiance to the King of Tigré. It is commonly remarked that since his coronation, in February, the character of Dejaj Kassa has greatly changed for the worse. The Roman Catholic missionaries have been expelled the country, while the Europeans who still remain in the King's service are treated no better than common soldiers, and are said to be in a starving condition. The barbarous punishment of amputation of the hands and feet is now frequently employed, and lately a daughter of Dr. Schimper, the widow of one of King Theodore's artisans, Kerstin, and sister-in-law of another, Mr. Bender, who returned to Abyssinia, and is now in Adwa, was stripped and publicly flogged in the market-place of that town, because her second husband, an Abyssinian chief in Kassa's employ, had deserted that Prince's service and become a rebel in Hamasani. I only mention this as an instance of the King's disregard of the opinion of Europeans among whom this unfortunate lady had so many relatives; and when the feeling of restraint has been once thrown off, it is looked on as a marked step in the downward progress of an Abyssinian ruler. I should consider it extremely unsafe for any European to travel in Northern Abyssinia at the present time. I was glad to see many signs of improvement in Massowah, the most important of which owe their origin to the energy and activity of Munzinger Bey, the Governor. This gentleman has been intrusted by the Viceroy of Exypt with the government of the western littoral of the Red Sea, from Swakin to an undefined point in the Dankali country, probably 'Edd. His head-quarters are fixed at Massowah, but he is seldom there for more than ten days at a time, being constantly engaged in visiting the various ports and districts under his charge. Many of these are admirably adapted for cotton cultivation, and the introduction of Egyptian seed into the Province of Tokur has succeeded in a marked degree, the quality of the crop being very superior to that raised in Lower Egypt. This district lies close to Port Mornington and Arkiko. Mowaraa, described by Moresby as the finest bay in the Red Sea, and it is the ojeot of Munzinger Bey to establish a settlement on the shore of this harbor. He has already induced several of the tribes in the neighborhood to remove their abodes to this place, and when once a difficulty with respect to water is surmounted, there is little doubt that this will form the principal place of export for the cotton of the Soudan. The services of a Swiss engineer have been specially engaged for this purpose by the Khedive, and Munzinger Bey expects the arrival of this gentleman in about two months, when the work will be at once taken in hand. The Soudan line of telegraph is nearly completed. This line embraces the stations of Berber, Khartoum, Gos, Kassala, Sonakin, and Massowah, and the only uncompleted sections are those between Berber and Gos, and between Sonakin and Massowah. When the line is finished Massowah will be in full telegraphic communication with all the principal towns both of Lower and Upper Egypt. As all the posts for the Massowah and Sonakin sections have arrived it is expected that the line will be ready in about two months. There was a large influx of wealth into Massowah after the Abyssinian expedition, and the prosperity of the island is consequently much improved, as many of the principal merchants have erected very handsome houses, far surpassing in size and elegance any private buildings at Aden. These houses are constructed of a kind of freestone, which is brought from the island of Dhalac, and forms an excellent building material, and are richly ornamented with carved wood-work. The most important work is, however, an aqueduct which Munzinger Bey is constructing for the purpose of conveying water from the interior to the island. This work was commenced about three months ago, and will, at the present rate of progress, take about six months more to complete."

THE IMPERIAL CONFERENCE.

The Russian Press and the Emperors' Meeting—Russian Hopes—Significant Utterances—Austria's Role.

From Our Own Correspondent.

BERLIN, Saturday, Aug. 17, 1872.

The Russian Press has at length broken silence on the great subject of the day, viz., the Emperors' meeting at Berlin, and has, by its utterances, to a great extent confirmed the surmises previously formed as to the Czar's participation in the Conference. The very reticence hitherto maintained is an indication of the Russian mind. Considering the fact that since a few weeks the liberty of the Press has been suspended, and what news has transpired has been carefully filtered from above—for never are restrictions so rigidly upheld as in the first weeks of their operation—that silence—absolute silence it has been—argues surprise, hesitation, may I say displeasure? The greater part of the little we now hear comes through an unaccredited channel, the *Goloss*, an influential paper, with readers as many as any printed in Russia, but one that has long been in opposition, hoisting the banner of Panslavism and defying the Germans. Little value, however, deserves to be attached to this circumstance. While the censor stands by with his merciless shears, every print is practically semi-official. The *Government Advertiser*, too, has spoken but briefly and insufficiently. It is worthy of note that in its expatiation it addresses itself first and principally to a discussion of French recuperation, eulogizing the merits and capabilities of M. Thiers with a warmth surprising in the organ of Alexander, the romantic admirer of William and detester of everything French. The *Advertiser* further confirms the intelligence first circulated by the Russian organ in Germany, the Darmstadt *Gazette*, to the effect that the Czar was prevailed upon to attend the Berlin meeting only on after-thought, having previously giving a categoric denial. The burden of that article—as of all articles printed this side of the Rhine—is "Peace and goodwill." On the object of the meeting the official print is silent. Its admission of the Czar's hesitation, however, is significant. We well remember the sensation produced by the tidings of the Czar's withdrawal, and the present confession lends plausibility to the reading, that either Russia originally withheld from ill-will toward Austria, or joined for its own selfish interest. In the latter case its accedence has doubtless lessened and neutralized the intended significance of the interview, though by the concord momentarily established between the Powers, it has as unquestionably added vastly to its momentousness in another sense.

RUSSIAN HOPES.

The *Goloss* is far more explicit, and bolder too, than the *Advertiser*, and unfolds a *programme of somewhat startling import*. In the first place, it creditably disclaims, on behalf of its country, the part of "a political police agent," employed by other dynasties merely to uphold their waning power. "Russia remembers what thanks have been paid it for its services in the struggle with the peoples! Moreover, a reaction like that succeeding, first, the French war, next, the revolution in 1830, and again that of 1848, is not imaginable nowadays." A hit at French longings for revenge follows, and is dismissed with a categorical refusal of assistance. A short paragraph, worthy of notice, indicates Russian expectation that the Polish question will be settled. After that the Russian club-foot unmistakably reveals itself in the broaching of the *Eastern question*. Oh, the recent Ministerial crisis at Constantinople is deeply felt at St. Petersburg! Autocrat as the Czar is, he could not venture to stand between Russia and its "mission in the East." Midhad Pasha has not been idle. One by one he has lopped off the branches of the tree of Pro-Russian policy which his predecessor, a creature of Gen. Ignatieff's, has carefully and obediently reared up; even the foreign Minister, Russia's last hope, has had to make way for one friendly to the West. Servia, too, has proved unfaithful, and as a punishment fresh agitations have been set on foot to undermine the young Prince's incipient good relations with Austro-Hungary, so as to involve him in troubles which, being fostered by those who should be his best friends and truest advisers, viz., Regents Blacnovacs and Ristics, might easily enough end in the dethronement of the Obrenovics and restoration of the Karageorgovics.

"The Eastern question," says the *Goloss*, "will doubtless form a topic of discussion among the Princes and their Ministers after the recent Ministerial crisis, unquestionably to be ascribed to English and French influence; the unshaken unanimity subsisting between Germany, Russia and Austria bids us hope that from this harmony far more will be gained in the way of adjustment than has previously resulted from mutual suspicion."

Claiming for Russia an unequivocal revelation of a peaceful policy toward Turkey, the *Goloss* insists that the Northern Empire must maintain its position as protector of the Sultan's Christian subjects. "These subjects it *must, can and will* (the italics are the *Goloss*') defend with all its power from the persecutions and oppression of Mussulman fanaticism." That is a strange commentary on the *Provincial Correspondenz's* patriotic exclamation, that "the prediction made by the mouth of our Emperor William is realized, that the German Empire will be an 'Empire of peace and blessing.'" Passing on to subjects which come under the definition of *internal questions*, the Russian paper somewhat diffusely enlarges on the religious question, indicating that though the Czar is hardly affected by it, still his union with the German and Austrian Courts must carry an immense power of support into the latter's camp, implying—with a second revelation of the club—that that is the price the Czar is content to pay for assistance in the East. The reasoning shows deficient appreciation of the public mind both in Austria and Germany, for if there is any question still confessedly immature for solution, and on which the opinions of the two friendly Courts are divided, it is the religious question, and surely no Sovereign would be more loth to bind himself to hostile measures than Francis Joseph, whose letter pledging him to uphold the temporal power in 1848 has a few days ago been brought prominently before the public. Indeed, the Czar has evinced his inclination to discountenance the Church, in according a markedly curt and ungracious reception to the latest-installed Roman Catholic Bishops; but it is doubtful if that office will be adequately appreciated west of the Vistula. As for the Eastern question, Russian interests hopelessly clash with Austrian, and the Czar must be content for this once to yield precedence, not merely in etiquette, but in political importance, to his brother on the Danube. The *Goloss* mentions a few more internal, so-called "social," topics which are to come under discussion, *entre autres* the International, and, as there are conferences to follow the Monarchs' meeting, no doubt can be entertained that these subjects will be brought on the *tapis*. They must, however, be content to rank second, and the only object for which the *Goloss* puts them forward probably is—as in the religious question—to offer Russian assistance as a price for other services.

SIGNIFICANT UTTERANCES.

Fair allowance must naturally be made for the unofficial character of the above explanations, but on the other hand I have already pointed out what especial weight attaches to any utterance at the present moment, and moreover, it is the only indication of Russian views that we possess. If the reasoning of the *Goloss* represents the official mind, Russia would certainly appear to have joined the other Powers, not to strengthen but to watch over them, since their alliance—concluded while the horizon is absolutely clear, and there seems no earthly object for an alliance—is evidently as much pointed against the East as against the West. Germany and Austria have need of one another, not against France nor against Russia, but against all possible contingencies. As enemies, they are mutual sources of weakness: as friends, no union can be stronger. Austria has reason to fear Russia, not least on account of such Eastern schemes and ideas as the *Goloss* unfolds, and it has wisely marked that Russia, being a far stronger Power in point of numbers, possessing also a better-developed net-work of strategic railways converging in the south-eastern angle, is far more advanced than itself in its fortifications on that straight route from Moscow to Vienna, via Brest, Litewsk, and Przemysl which is more practicable than either of the others; and it is worthy of note, though by no means a very pacific one, that while this exchange of compliments is taking place, Austria itself has resolved to carry out the long-designed works at what is to be the key to its territory, Przimysl, notwithstanding its annual budget is already overburdened. I do not mean to say that no *rapprochement* will be effected; far from it. Francis Joseph is anxious to make up old quarrels with his neighbor, and to secure his presence at the International Exhibition. But the acts of both Powers prove that all is not spoken that is felt, and that there is a reserve of doubt and caution which bids each to look out for himself. They show likewise that the real alliance is between Germany and Austria, and that the accedence of Russia is adventitious and unessential. Germany is by no means invulnerable from the Austrian side. With its common language, tradition, customs; with its claim to a place in the empire and a seat on the throne; with its consanguinity with the southern half of the confederation and its favorable situation, Austria is a Power that could in one moment of German weakness unmake all that Prussian energy has raised up in years, and Germany may well be content to pay a price for averting such danger.

WORDSWORTH'S HOME.

The Poet's Cottage at Rydal Mount—A Scene of Desolation.

From the London Standard.

After a delightful drive from Keswick, through a country studded with the loveliest lakes and the highest mountains in England, I paid a visit yesterday to Wordsworth's old cottage at Rydal Mount, close to the charming little lake of that ilk, and from which a glorious glimpse is obtained of Windemere through a picturesque valley replete with varied beauty. I had heard, before leaving town, that the modest and charming little cottage, which has been sung under many different phases in Wordsworth's works, was undergoing considerable alterations; that it was, in fact, being altogether transformed both inside and out; and that, utterly regardless of the classical associations connected with the spot, and unaffected by the faintest tinge of sentiment or sympathy to which the *genius loci* might well give rise, some one was ruthlessly rectifying the old bard's abode after a fashion which might be characterized as Gothic. I much regret to find that the plain facts of the case, as well as the feeling generally prevailing in this neighborhood—or rather the absence of all feeling about the matter—have fully confirmed the rumor I had heard, and supply another illustration of the old saying, that "no man is a prophet," or a poet either, "in his own country;" for even Wordsworth, it seems, is little esteemed in the delightful district which he dearly loved, and the praises of which he was never weary of singing. Of course there are special exceptions to be admitted in every general statement, and it is but right to acknowledge that an effort was generously made to preserve the poet's little nook of mountain ground intact from the destructive influence of modern improvement. A public-spirited and intelligent resident at Ambleside—one who is *facile princeps* among his rivals here—did his best to get up a subscription to maintain Rydal Mount as far as possible in the same state that it was left by the bard; but the praiseworthy effort failed for want of public support among the gentry and the inhabitants generally of the neighborhood, and hence the cottage, ennobled by song which the world "will not readily let die," and the "happy garden"

"Whose seclusion deep
Hath been so friendly to industrious hours,"

have since undergone many a melancholy change, only too truthfully illustrating the rough usage of the world and the "base uses" to which everything in it "may return."

When leaning over the wooden gate looking up at the little house, and into the garden which seemed a wilderness, I own that I was painfully struck by the deplorable scene of desolation before me. I recalled the poet's "Farewell" to the

"Rocky corner in the lowest stair
Of that magnificent temple which doth bound
One side of our whole vale with grandeur rare;"

and asked myself, are these "the leafy bowers;" is this

"The sweetest garden orchard, eminently fair,
The loveliest spot that man ever found,"

which Wordsworth made entirely his own, planting it with his own hand, with deep design and cautious care, selecting "chosen plants and blossoms blown among the distant mountains," placing "the bright gowan and marsh-marigold" to flower near the rocky well, while primroses on "the steep rock's breast"

"Glittered at evening like a starry sky;"

and are these the flowering shrubs and towering laurels, originally brought from the grave of Petrarch, which the poet fondly thought would "prosper, though untended and alone?" The line of laurels on the left of the gateway, by which the garden was screened from the coach-house, has been ruthlessly cut down, some of the main trunks being at least eight or nine inches in diameter; while the little garden itself, between the gate and the cottage—not the front, but the left side of the house, being presented to the road—was a perfect jungle of plants, of which some had grown at least five feet high, and were pierced here and there by varied pathways. The front of the house which looked upon the vale, and commanded a splendid view of Windermere, was almost concealed by the flowering shrubs that decorate our door;" but it was easy to see that masons and carpenters had been at work there, for a litter of laths and plaster, as if the cottage had been gutted, the old partitions having been torn down and thrown outside, extended along the whole front of the dwelling. An aged woman who lived in one of the neighboring cone-built cottages, of which there are several running at right angles from the gate over which I was leaning, came up and at once entered into conversation. She spoke in a very low tone of voice, and was evidently affected by the Gothic depredations which were still in progress. "Yes, she knew the poet well: he was often kind to her. That was the room in which he died," she said, pointing to the long, low, oblong window, divided into petty, latticed panes, on the second or upper floor, and immediately overlooking the gate. "It is the only room that they have not touched." The tone of this last remark at once attracted attention—it was so sorrowful. Upon the gate, which is rather more than breast high, and wide enough to admit a pony-carriage, was a large black-board, with these words in broad, white letters: "No Admittance. These Premises are Not Open to the Public." The men had left work for the afternoon, and the old lady knew of no one to whom application could be made for permission to enter the grounds. "But there is no reason why you should not go in, like everybody else, if you want to do so," she added; and then she shuffled off in haste as if to avoid witnessing the flagrant act of trespass which she clearly suspected was about to happen. The poor old thing was ill at ease, and seemed as if apprehensive of being seen talking to a stranger at the gate of Wordsworth's cottage, though she admitted before our conversation ended that she knew nothing about "the new people," neither who they were nor where they came from.

I was soon standing on the continuous heap of rubbish before the house, enjoying the lovely view through the valley down to Windermere; after which the grounds were explored and the house examined all through, from the back range of cellars and pantries to the attic. It is said that the laurels will grow again, and so they may; but laurel-trees of more than half a century's growth are not seen every day, and to hew them down unnecessarily when they neither obstructed a beautiful prospect nor proved inconvenient nor undesirable in any way, but rather directly the contrariwise, would, under any circumstances, be an act of folly, but in this case, considering the hand by which these beautiful bays were planted, and whence they came, the act must be pronounced one of vandalism. If they grew too luxuriously and needed thinning they might easily have been pruned; but these magnificent trees have actually been cut down where their evergreen foliage was most required, that is, to conceal an eye-sore in the shape of an old dilapidated coach-house on entering the garden from the road, and to the right rear of the house, where some beautiful trees divided the lawn from the orchard and the poet's walk. We look in vain for the much-prized

"Bower, that Indian shed,
Our own contrivance, building without peer."

The poet's walk, too, was choked with brambles and briers of every description, though this is a matter easily remedied, and everything else may be said desolation reigned every where supreme.

In the house itself the change is still greater. Everything has been altered save one room and the height of the floors. The whole of the inside has been literally gutted. It is true the attic stands intact as well as the poet's bedroom, but with this exception everything is new. Two rooms have been knocked into one to make a dining-room; the same process seems to have been carried out on a yet larger scale to obtain space for the construction of a new drawing-room. The greater part of the lower front of the cottage has been taken down, and two large bow-windows have been built, the one in the drawing-room being about three yards wide, and one and a half deep; there is also a pretentious new staircase and a small hall, which never before existed, while the kitchen has been considerably extended, and has two respectably-sized new windows, amply sufficient to throw abundant light upon the complicated culinary operations requisite to please the palate of the modern commercial Croesus. New doors have also been opened, and old ones through which Wordsworth's steps sounded for half a century have been finally built up. It must be allowed that space has every where been utilized to the utmost; the new arrangements doubtless are, from the modern elegancy point of view, far superior to those which were satisfactory enough to the old bard; but, excepting the outer walls and his old bedroom, it is Wordsworth's house no more. Upstairs the same strong desire to transform everything has been carried, wherever practicable, to the same extreme. A new and enlarged bedroom has been constructed over the drawing-room, at the extreme right end of the house, overlooking the orchard. It has also been found necessary to let more light into this bedridden little dwelling, once beloved by the Muses, and, therefore, the humble roof has been penetrated by a new contrivance to admit more of the sun's rays immediately above the second flight of stairs, which have been somewhat widened, leading to the poet's bedroom. Give us light by all means, for without it everything withers and dies away; but "the old man eloquent," who ascended these stairs well-nigh for a generation and a half without such light, possessed a far rarer light—"the inward light," "the vision and the faculty divine"—the remembrance of which far transcends in value all these modern improvements. His low-roofed, dingy bedroom, which apparently has not been renovated since he died there, is the only point of interest now inside the house; but how long it will remain so it is impossible to say. The shaded marks are still to be seen on the wall against which the head of the bedstead rested, and on either side are two old rod cords, with raveled ends, which formerly served as bell-pulls. It is not improbable that they are the very same that Wordsworth often used. The little fire-place is on the right, and the long, low, latticed window, overlooking the gate-way, was directly in front of him when lying in bed. One can neither enter nor leave that old room altogether unmoved, knowing whose spirit breathed its last there; and it is especially valuable now as affording the only means of realizing what the old cottage used to look like when Wordsworth occupied it. It is to be hoped that the *novus homo*, who, it is said, is a dry-salter at Leeds, will at least spare this one room as some slight memorial of the great man whose name is inscribed on the topmost roll of fame among those who have made our English literature immortal.

THE NEW REPUBLIC.

The Reign of M. Thiers—Press Prosecutions and their Impression—The Repression of Imperialism.

Writing from Paris on Aug. 20, the correspondent of the London *Times* says: "Whatever the motive, there is, I fear, no doubt about the fact that the Government is just now graciously pleased to bestow upon the Bonapartists about the only favor that can benefit them—petty persecution. We have their principal organ, the *Gaulois*, posing this morning in the new and interesting character of victim to a Republican despotism which gags the Press. It is about to lose one of its favored contributors, M. Jules Richard, who writes to say that he can no longer stand the cruel excisions and mutilations to which his letters are exposed. He cannot allow 'the expression to be weakened of convictions which are profound, and which time will unfortunately prove to be correct.' The editor of the *Gaulois* explains that the mutilations of which M. Richard complains are rendered necessary by the censorious interference of the Government. To this interference the *Gaulois*, he declares, has been long subjected, but he has hitherto thought it best to suffer silently and without a murmur, partly in order not to trouble the public with his personal grievances, partly because the same imperious Government that oppressed him pushed its tyranny to such lengths as to forbid him to complain. But as other journals have taken up his cause there is no longer any reason for his keeping silent. Now that his readers know his sad situation, they are prayed to 'take into account its difficulties, and be more ready than ever with their sympathy.' The editor quotes the journals to which he refers, and though they represent very different shades of opinion they are unanimous in condemning any such interference with the liberties of the Press. Even an organ of the extreme Republican Party, which generally clamors loudest for arbitrary measures, and means by liberty the right to prevent anybody else doing what you do not happen yourself to like or approve, is no exception to the rule. It condemns, indeed, in very strong language, the attacks made upon the Government by the Bonapartist Press, but still thinks that they had better be left for trial at the bar of public opinion, and not officially punished or repressed. It declares, in opposition to the statements made by the *Gaulois*, that at the last Cabinet Council, presided over by M. Thiers, such a policy of non-interference was agreed to, but the declaration can scarcely be accepted as correct in presence of M. Jules Richard's letter of resignation. Other less Radical, and, therefore, more Liberal papers, usually steady supporters of the Government, blame it for measures of repression so opposed to what ought to be one of the strongest and most sacred principles of Republicanism. The method, too, of the repression makes it additionally offensive to lovers of freedom. M. Thiers relies upon the 'State of Siege' under which an obnoxious journal can be summarily suppressed by a stroke of Admirault's pen, and not a few politicians of all parties hold that the State of Siege has been continued too long. Even of those who do not yet wish to see it abolished, the majority look upon it as a weapon which it is all very well to keep leveled at the heads of the party of disorder, but which is too potent and unconstitutional to be actually used, except in cases of necessity far more urgent and important than that of keeping in order a too abusive or calumnious journal. It is for these reasons that one cannot help

POLITICAL.

Another Michigan Democrat Out for Grant.

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Soldiers' and Sailors' Club of the Eighteenth Assembly District.

At a meeting of the soldiers and sailors of the Eighteenth Assembly District, last evening, at No. 457 Fourth-avenue, Col. M. Kernan presiding, a Grant and Wilson Club was organized, and the following Executive Committee appointed: Gen. Dennis F. Burke, A. M. C. Smith, Joseph O'Carroll, Col. M. Kernan, Joseph Bigin, Wm. O. McQuade, Jas. R. Cosgrove, Dr. Hewitt, H. A. Beatty, Benj. Glanson, Philip Bigien, Fred. A. Mann, Hugh Hastings, James Trimble.

The following delegates to the Soldiers' and Sailors' Convention at Pittsburg were appointed: Gen. Dennis F. Burke, Col. M. Kernan, Capt. Samuel W. Swayze, Dr. Hewitt, Joseph Biglin, Hugh Hastings, A. M. C. Smith, James R. Cosgrove, Capt. Joseph O'Carroll, Capt. W. O. McQuade, Treadwell Seaman, Pay-master M. W. Burke, James Trimble, Hugh Coleman, Michael Roche.

Mr. Benj. Van Riper and others addressed the meeting before the adjournment.

Fifteenth Assembly District Republican Association.

The Fifteenth Assembly District Republican Association met last evening at Kromm's Hall, in Thirty-third-street, Dr. R. S. Newton in the chair. The following resolution was proposed by Dr. Stewart, and unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That we, the Republicans of the Fifteenth Assembly District, do hereby congratulate our fellow-Republicans of the Green Mountain State for their handsome verdict against the most disgraceful fraud in history, which was attempted to be perpetrated upon them by the cohorts of Greeley.

After a stirring address from Mr. J. Scoenhof, the meeting adjourned.

German Reformers.

The Central Committee of the German Reform organizations held a meeting at the Teutonia Maennerchor Hall, last night, Mr. Oswald Ottendorfer presiding. The Executive Committee, through Mr. Glaubenaklee, its Chairman, submitted a report of the proceedings of that Committee. The report had reference to measures to be adopted in securing a representation in the appointment of inspectors of election and assistant supervisors for the Presidential election.

A resolution of the Executive Committee calling upon the Chairman to appoint a committee of five to confer with similar committees of the other municipal reform organizations, was also adopted. In addition, a resolution was passed that a committee be appointed by the Chair to revise and publish a document in reference to municipal reform and national affairs, an outline of which was furnished by the Executive Committee.

The meeting then adjourned.

Another Michigan Democrat Comes Out.

Hon. Samuel D. Clay, of Grand Rapids, an able lawyer, heretofore a Democrat, and one of the most effective stump-speakers in Western Michigan, has published a letter renouncing and denouncing the Greeley Democracy. He says: "It is a dangerous coalition. The alliance utterly ignores the old men of the South and the War Democrats of the North. I was always a War Democrat, and will not be a party to such a combination." The letter concludes as follows: "If the present organization refuses means, as I believe it does, simply to place the control of the Government in the hands of a few seedy politicians, I cannot support it, and if 'to shake hands across the bloody chasm' means to reward equally the rebel and Union soldiers, and to honor alike the rebel and Union dead, I will not do it."

What Would be the Consequences?

In an article called forth by Senator Carpenter's recent forcible letter, published in the TIMES, the Grand Rapids (Mich.) *Eagle* says: "Mr. Carpenter's criticism is just and is well applied. Mr. Greeley has never disowned his secessionism. He does not retract it now, neither does the *Tribune* for him, and—more than that—he dare not do it in the face of his Southern supporters in this campaign. Jerry Black tells us distinctly why such Democrats as he support Mr. Greeley for President; so do the ex-rebel military men in Kentucky as well as in other Southern States tell why they support him, and they leave no room for doubt that it is because of what they expect to gain for the 'lost cause' of State rights and secession. It is right, then, to ask people to reflect seriously upon what may be the consequences of the election of Mr. Greeley before they decide to cast their votes for him."

Not of that Crowd.

A member of the Connecticut Greeleyites' State Committee, recently wrote a letter to Jesse Leach, Esq., of Middle Hallam, rejoicing in the report that he favored the election of Greeley, and assuring him that 5,000 Republicans in the State are with him today. Mr. Clark wrote forthwith: "I beg leave to say that if his 5,000 Greeley Republicans in Connecticut are like me, they are of the right sort, for I shall vote for Grant and Wilson. I know of a number of Democrats in Chatham that say they shall not vote for Greeley, and I have yet to learn of one Republican that will vote for him."

Where Some of Tammany's Stolen Funds Went—$40,000 to Indiana.

The Indianapolis *Journal* has charged that the Tammany Ring in 1868 sent not less than $40,000 into Indiana to aid in the election of Hendricks as Governor of that State, and it now offers in evidence the following letter from a well-known Cincinnati Democrat, withholding, for personal reasons, the name of the gentleman to whom it was addressed:

CINCINNATI, Ohio, Aug. 26, 1872.

Esq.:

DEAR SIR: I respond to your inquiries of the 22d inst.; the Chairman of the Ohio State Central Committee complained to me in September, 1868, that while Tammany had sent but $7,000 to carry the October election of that year in this State, it had sent $40,000 to Indiana to elect Mr. Hendricks Governor. A movement to raise $25,000 for Mr. Hendricks in Kentucky was started in 1868, at Louisville, by an Ex-Confederate General. On learning that the Democrats of my native town, Lexington, were to be assessed for a part of this sum, I went over and stopped the collection by showing my conviction that Mr. Hendricks and his gang had betrayed both personal and political confidence, and were therefore unworthy of party support. Mr. Hendricks betrayed both Pendleton and the Democratic party, and no honorable Democrat can get from either of those gentlemen a confradiction of my assertion, I will give $1,000 to the church of which Mr. Hendricks is a member in Indianapolis. I am, and always have been, a true Democrat, and wish the Democracy of Indiana all success, but when Mr. Hendricks denies the assertions of my Seymour letter, then he invites a retort on my part which I would rather have withheld for a future occasion. Very respectfully,

C. W. WOOLLEY.

West Virginia Conceded to be Doubtful.

The Charleston (West Virginia) *Courier*, a Democratic journal, makes an admission, since the election in that State, which will prove very unpalatable to the Greeley confederates. It says: "The fact may as well be recognized at the start that West Virginia is not absolutely certain for Greeley. A much greater demoralization than any body anticipated has been produced by the recent election. This must be remedied in some way, so that a united Democratic front may be presented to the common enemy at the coming election. There certainly should be no thought on the part of West Virginia Democrats of making the late division permanent. If they expect to give their State to Greeley and Brown they should determine to work and vote in that direction, without reference to recent dissensions."

What of the Germans?

The Twelfth Ward of St. Louis contains many German citizens, and on the evening of Aug. 28 Senator Carl Schurz was brought to address them on the political issues of the day. Western papers say that the hall was pretty full, when he launched forth in his German speech, but speedily he was interrupted by his hearers with loud cries of "English! English!" And this German Senator, in a German ward, had to make a few short excuses in English instead of delivering the German speech as announced. Not a single German had appeared. Nine-tenths of those present were of Irish nationality.

Grant Meeting at the Soldiers' Home.

The Republicans at the Soldiers' Home in Dayton, Ohio, held a meeting Tuesday night to organize a Grant Club. Capt. W. H. Lough was appointed Chairman and Patrick Tierney Secretary. Speeches were made by D. B. Corwin and Capt. E. M. Wood in English, and by Capt. J. H. L. Frank and Jacob Renner in German. After these speeches were delivered an earnest call was made upon Chaplain Earnshaw, who, in response, made an eloquent address occupying about one hour. The Dayton *Journal* says: "The and the veterans loudly applauded all the speakers as they presented points which were made in favor of Grant and Wilson and in opposition to Greeley and Brown. The meeting was a splendid one in every respect, and afforded the most gratifying evidence of the lively patriotism which inspired the veterans. Four hundred names had been secured to the Constitution of the Grant Club, and the canvass for members was not complete. The feeling among the veterans was most enthusiastic, and indicates that the vote in October will be in the same direction in which the shooting was done during the war. It will be in favor of the party which stood by the old flag."

An Excursion to Nyack to Hear Senator Conkling.

Hon. Roscoe Conkling is to speak at Nyack, N. Y., Sept. 12, instant, on the issues of the day. A number of mercantile gentlemen of this City have resolved to attend the meeting. A committee composed of Messrs. James Davis, Charles Blake and Henry P. Leask, was selected last night to arrange for a grand excursion from this point and other places up the Hudson River, to Nyack. The steam-boat Sleepy Hollow will take excursionists from New-York, and the Mary Powell will bring them to Nyack from the up-river counties. The presence of at least 2,000 persons from this City is expected at the meeting.

Republican National Committee.

The Republican National Committee's rooms were unusually active yesterday, and much business was transacted. Among the visitors were J. J. Young, North Carolina; Hon. Morris Winslow, Waterbury, N. Y.; Geo. Chandler, Maryland; Hon. D. Tarbell and Hon. A. Warner, Chairman, Mississippi; L. Cass Carpenter, Columbia, S. C.; A. D. Wait, Washington County, New-York; Charles De Bevois, Rockland County, New-York; Dr. T. A. Emmons, Chicago, Ill.; W. S. Wood, Newtown, Long Island.

California Congressmen.

Both parties in California have now completed their nominations for members of Congress. The names of the candidates are as follows:

Dist.	Republican.	Democratic.
1.	Charles Clayton,	William A. Piper.
2.	H. Frank Page,	Pascual Coggins,
3.	John M. Coghlan,	J. K. Luttrell.
4.	Sherman O. Houghton,	E. J. C. Kewen.

Washington County Nominations.

The Republicans of Washington County have held their Convention in Argyle, and made the following nominations: Leonard Fletcher, of Cambridge, for Special Surrogate; Thomas B. Lowrie, of Jackson, and David Hall, of Argyle, for Coroners of the Poor, and O. L. Steele, of Hampden, for Justice of Sessions. Mr. N. G. Paris presided over the Convention, and delegates were chosen to the Congressional Convention favorable to the nomination of J. S. Smart.

The Franking Privilege and the Greeleyites.

A Washington correspondent of the Boston *Traveller* writes as follows: The Liberal-Republican-Democratic Party is doing heavy work in the interests of reform, as will be seen by the following partial exhibit of the number of Greeley documents folded in the Senate folding-room, and under the counterfeit franks of Liberal Senators and members of Congress sent broadcast over the country, burdening the mails and tending to create a deficit in the postal revenue that will, of course, be charged upon the Administration:

47,000 copies of "Reform Measure and Platform."
45,000 copies Fenton's speech.
6,500 copies Sumner's speech.
19,000 copies Sumner's letter.
4,500 copies Sumner's letter to Blaine.
65,000 copies New-York *Tribune*.
5,000 copies "Neglect of People's Business.
10,000 copies "Reconciliation."

These figures are reliable and show an aggregate of 202,000 Greeley documents known to have been folded, franked and mailed at the Government's expense. This, it must be borne in mind, is but a small portion of the documents actually sent out from here by Fenton's corrupt committee. These are those only which have been prepared in the Senate folding-room by employes of the Government. If any other evidence is wanted of the prostitution of the civil service in the cause of the "Liberal" Party, it may be found in the practice of forging the franks of Republican Senators by men whom Fenton manages to have paid from the United States Treasury to do the work of the Government.

Organization of the Massachusetts Republican Committee.

The Massachusetts Republican State Committee, elected by the recent Convention, has organized by the choice of the following officers: President, George B. Loring, Salem; Secretary, George S. Merrill, Lawrence; Treasurer, S. B. Robbins, Boston; Executive Committee, W. W. Rice, James S. Lewis, John A. Sanford, Charles E. Whitin, Samuel C. Lawrence, Wm. A. Simmons, E. R. Tinker, F. A. Hobart, A. J. Wright, Frank M. Ames, and the President, Secretary and Treasurer.

Nominations in Cayuga.

The Republicans of Cayuga County have made the following nominations: For Treasurer, Horace T. Cook; Superintendent of the Poor, Morris M. Olmsted; District Attorney, Severn E. Payne; Coroners, Robert Hume and Wm. Cox; Special County Judge, Wm. B. Mills; Justice of the Sessions, Abram W. Brooks. Of them the Auburn *Advertiser* thus speaks: "All the nominees, besides possessing the Jeffersonian requirements of honesty, capability and fidelity to the Constitution, are specially adapted to the duties to be severally assigned by them, and are faithful, earnest, and deserving Republicans."

Assembly Nominations.

The following nominations for the Assembly have been made by the Republicans in the counties and districts named:

Cayuga County.—First District, Horace V. Howland; Second District, Elijah E. Brown.

Chautauque County.—First District, Francis B. Brewer; Second District, John D. Miller.

Delaware County.—First District, William Lewis, Jr.

Herkimer County.—Eleazer C. Rice.

Jefferson County.—First District, Elam Persons.

Oneida County.—Second District, Henry J. Coggeshall; Fourth District, Daniel Walker.

Oswego County.—Third District, J. Lyman Buckley.

Queens County.—First District, James L. Baxter.

St. Lawrence County.—First District, Darius A. Moore; Second District, Dolphus S. Lynde; Third District, Parker W. Rose.

Everybody Knows Who Pike Is.

The *Tribune* published Albert Pike's letter, the other day, asserting that he met Senator Wilson at the National Council of the Know-nothing Party, in Philadelphia, in 1855, and said editorially: "No intelligent citizen of any part of the United States needs to be told who Albert Pike is, and no one doubts his absolute veracity." The *Tribune* gave that interesting bit of information some time ago. The Grand Rapids (Mich.) *Eagle* reproduces it from the *Tribune* of March 22, 1862, and says it reads thus: "The Albert Pike who led the Aboriginal Corps of Tomahawkers and Scalpers at the battle of Pea Ridge, formerly kept school in Fair Haven, Mass., where he was indicted for playing the part of Squeers, and cruelly beating and starving a boy in his family. He escaped through some hocus-pocus of the law and emigrated to the West, where the violence of his nature has been admirably enhanced. As his name indicates, he is a ferocious fish, and has fought duels enough to qualify him to be a leader of savages. We suppose that upon the recent occasion he got himself up in good style, war-paint, nose-ring and all. This Pike is also a poet, and wrote 'Hymns to the Gods' in *Blackwood*; but he has left Jupiter, Juno and the rest, and betaken himself to the culture of the Great Spirit, or rather of Two Great Spirits—whisky being the second. So much for Pike!"

Miscellaneous Notes.

The Bedford (Penn.) *Inquirer* promises that Bedford County shall give 200 Republican majority in October. We trust the active and vigilant Republicans of the county will make its promise good....The Greeley "Reform" Convention in the Third Congressional District of California was presided over by an Ex-Postmaster, who was removed because it was found impossible to collect from him some $9,190 due the Government. So they go....The Indianapolis *Journal* says that Hon. M. C. Kerr came to this City to get money to carry Indiana for Hendricks, and it predicts that Hendricks will be defeated notwithstanding Tammany's renewed effort to aid him....The New-Jersey Prohibitionists are to meet in Trenton on the 11th inst., to nominate an electoral ticket....Geo. L. Becker is the Confederate candidate for Congress in the Third District of Minnesota.

The Syracuse Nominations.

The Syracuse nominations were a subject of much discussion in political circles and at the various political head-quarters yesterday. The fact could not be concealed that a large number of Democrats were dissatisfied with the selection made.

Some Democrats alleged that the "Administration party" had bought up the Conventions, and had so secured the nomination of the ticket which was sure to be beaten. Much disappointment was shown by many warm adherents of the Liberal Democratic cause that Sandford E. Church was not the candidate selected. Tammany Grand Sachem Seneil, Chairman of the National Democratic Committee, was at the Spingler House head-quarters yesterday, and expressed himself as well pleased with the action of the Convention. He professes to believe that the ticked nominated will win. The Liberal Republicans are not well pleased—the ticket not being altogether according to their choice. They will, however, give it such support as they are capable of, which is inconsiderable. At the head-quarters of the Republican State Committee there was an unusual throng of callers last evening. There was a feeling of jubilation among them that the double-barreled Convention had nominated such weak candidates. It was believed that Dix and Robinson would have what is termed in political parlance a "walk over."

Republican Rally in the Tenth District.

Under the auspices of the Tenth Assembly District Grant and Wilson Club a mass-meeting was held at Concordia Hall, in Avenue A, last evening. At an early time the hall was comfortably filled, and when the meeting was fairly in motion every available space was taken up. Capt. John Lalor was called to the chair, and Mr. F. D. Ludlum elected Secretary. Mr. T. D. Adams was first introduced, and in lucid and precise language reviewed the results of Grant's Administration, the trivial character of the issues raised by his enemies, and the frivolous charges brought against him by the latter. The speaker kept the floor for over an hour, and his address was received with considerable enthusiasm. Hon. Geo. Hoxie, Mr. Jas. Duncan, and others followed, the meeting being in every respect successful.

Thirteenth Assembly District Grant and Wilson League—An Enthusiastic Meeting.

An enthusiastic meeting of the Sixteenth Ward and Thirteenth Assembly District Grant and Wilson League, was held last evening at the Society's rooms, No. 308 Eight-avenue. This organization, which is chiefly composed of Irishmen, though but a short time in existence, is fast acquiring a name and a wide-spread popularity in the district. Several new members came forward to have their names enrolled as members of the Club, and since the last meeting the tide of public opinion has turned so much in favor of Grant and Wilson in the Sixteenth Ward, that the Association has nearly doubled its original strength.

Among the speakers were Mr. Patrick O'Connell, Chairman; Mr. Thos. H. Doyle, Mr. Michael F. Mulligan, Mr. Hattan and Mr. Daniel J. Merrigan. Mr. McCabe was elected Vice-President, and Mr. Joseph Beerin, Corresponding Secretary. Resolutions were passed pledging the organization to give their most strenuous support to Grant and Wilson in the approaching struggle, and also expressing their unqualified approval of the independent course of Hon. Samuel B. H. Vance, their present City Alderman. Other matters of local interest having been disposed of three ringing Irish cheers were given for Gen. Grant, John A. Dix, Mr. James O'Brien and the NEW-YORK TIMES, after which the meeting adjourned.

Westchester Politics.

A Grant and Wilson Club has been organized at Croton Falls, with the following officers: Odle Close, President; J. W. Keeler, Vice-President; George A. Scofield, Corresponding Secretary; James B. Ostrander, Recording Secretary; N. L. Purdy, Treasurer. The Club numbers about 75.

A Grant and Wilson Campaign Club has also been organized at Katonah, with the following officers: Hon. W. H. Robertson, President; B. Travis, James W. Anderson, L. Travis, and M. B. Silkman, Vice-Presidents; Dr. J. T. Chapman, Recording Secretary; J. E. Hoyt, Corresponding Secretary. The Hon. Thomas Hunter is also an Executive Committee, consisting of D. M. Miller, Chas. E. Wickmore and M. S. Benedict.

The Grant and Wilson Campaign Club of East Chester raised a handsome banner in front of their head-quarters at Mount Vernon, on Thursday evening, amid the enthusiastic cheers of a large concourse of Republican citizens.

Local Notes.

The Grant and Wilson Club, of Red Bank, N. J., raised a beautiful banner on Front-street yesterday.

A vote, taken among the employes of the American News Company yesterday, resulted as follows: Greeley, 23; Grant, 34.

A call for a Temperance State Convention to be held at Trenton, on the 11th inst., for the purpose of selecting an electoral ticket, has been issued.

The Young Men's Republican Association of the Fourth Assembly District met last evening at No. 190 East Broadway, Mr. Thomas E. Grogan, President, in the chair. Several new members were enrolled.

The soldiers and sailors of Kings County will meet in their respective wards and towns before the 12th inst., and take such action as will insure the attendance at the Pittsburg Convention of representatives from each district.

A meeting of the Grant and Wilson Campaign Club of the Fourth Assembly District was held last evening at No. 190 East Broadway, Mr. Charles E. Abbott in the chair. Several new members were admitted, and the meeting was addressed by Mr. Solomon Spitzer and others.

A meeting of the Grant and Wilson Campaign Club of the Tenth, Eleventh and Seventeenth Wards was held at No. 189 Chrystie-street last evening. Chas. Latour, President, in the chair. A committee of five was appointed to organize branch clubs.

The Eleventh Ward Democratic Grant Club met last evening, at the corner of Avenue C and Fourth-street, and were addressed by several of the members on the political issues of the day. A number of new members signed the roll.

The German Grant and Wilson Campaign Club of the Seventh Assembly District met last night at No. 118 Greenwich-avenue, William Merten presiding. Resolutions indorsing the national and State tickets and to honor the victory of Vermont were adopted. Charles Wirth was elected delegate to the German Central Committee.

The Grant and Wilson Club, of Westfield, N. J., will raise a banner and flag on Tuesday evening next. Hon. John Davidson, J. Seaver Page, Hon. E. Delafield Smith and other speakers will address the meeting. Delegations from Plainfield, Elizabeth, Rahway, Crawford, New-Market, Summerville and Raritan will attend, and a large demonstration is expected.

Forty-six names were added to the roll of the Eleventh District Soldiers' and Sailors' Grant Club at the first regular meeting of that organization last evening, at the Eleventh District Assembly Rooms, Broadway and Twenty-third-street. The meeting officers of the Association are: President, A. T. Puffer; Secretary, Jos. Hurson; Treasurer, F. E. Farnham.

The meeting last evening of the Ninth Assembly District Republican Association brought out a full attendance of members, the rooms of the Association in Bleecker Building being filled to overflowing. The admission of new members resulted in the addition of 137 and the proposition of about sixty more, after which the time was occupied in speech making by the members.

The Seventeenth Assembly Distrlct Liberal Republican Association met last evening at the Wigwam, Forty-ninth-street. A committee of five was appointed to confer with the Greeley and Brown Clubs in the districts relative to their arrangements for attending the ratification meeting in Union-square. Addresses were afterward delivered by Col. Harvey, of Florida, and James Scovel, of New-Jersey.

The First Ward Republican Club of Long Island City, organized as a Grant and Wilson Campaign Club last evening, electing Jacob Rockwell President; Wm. M. Hatch, Vice-President; J. Robert Lawa, Treasurer; J. Harvey Smedley, Secretary. The Hon. Thos. Henry S. Sandford and others addressed the meeting. Arrangements were made for the display of a banner at an early day, and the Club adjourned, with hearty cheers for the candidates.

General Notes.

The Republicans of Astoria organized a Grant and Wilson Club on Thursday evening.

A Grant and Wilson Club has been organized at Alpine, Bergen County, N. J., with Moses J. Taylor, Esq., as President, and Charles Nordhoff, Esq., as Treasurer.

E. Joy Morris was nominated for Congress by the Democrats of the Second District of Pennsylvania, in place of Furman Sheppard, declined. He is also a sorehead candidate.

Frederick G. Bromberg, sorehead Republican and Chairman of the Al bama delegation at Cincinnati, was nominated for Congress; N. H. R. Dawson, of Dallas, for Elector, and J. W. Cooke, of Wilcox, for alternate, at Mobile, yesterday, by the combined forces.

MAINE.

Vigorous Progress of the Republican Campaign.

Secretary Robeson Disposes of Trumbull's Inventions and Garblings—The Liquor Influence Against Perham—Prospects in the Congress Districts.

Special Dispatch to the New-York Times.

BANGOR, Me., Sept. 6.—Another excellent meeting was held here to-night, Norombega Hall was well filled to hear a most eloquent and entertaining speech from Secretary Robeson. The finished oratory of the Secretary, and his able dissection of the coalition movement and the purposes behind it, were received with rapturous applause by the 2,000 people who were present. Mr. Robeson also paid his respects to Senator Trumbull, who, in this city, made a vile misrepresentation of the navy debt. Mr. Robeson read from the Committee's report and made a very clear and convincing statement. He convicted Mr. Trumbull of garbling the law, which he had quoted to sustain his charge. The President's name was received with wild enthusiasm, and at one point the audience rose en masse and gave three cheers. Secretary Robeson showed that the payment of the Secor claims was recommended in writing by Horace Greeley himself, and closed by flaying Trumbull for his own shortcomings. He closes the campaign in Dover, in Piscataquis County, to-morrow night.

It is an undeniable fact that the liquor question is being used with considerable effect to reduce the vote of Gov. Perham. Especially is this the case in the cities of Bangor and Portland. In the latter city the restrictive law has been enforced so vigorously that much prejudice has been excited against it, and the fact that a man cannot have a glass of ale with a dish of oysters, has set nearly every hotel and restaurant keeper against Perham, without regard to politics. Quite a number have changed their views within the past few days because of the national issues involved, but it will be the effect of this, if the Republican vote in Portland is not larger than last year. So, in Bangor, Perham's name will be cut by the opponents of the stringent Liquor law, and the vote for member of Congress will be a truer test of the Republican strength.

The desperate onset against Eugene Hale, in the Fifth District, still continues. The district is literally plowed over with speakers and meetings. The coalition is using every means, fair and unfair, to beat him. Speakers, money and spurious ballots are freely used by Pike and his friends. Some of Hale's friends are hardly so confident of an overwhelming majority for him as they were last week; but I find no Republican who is not confident of his election. The majorities in the Second, Third and Fourth Districts will be considerably larger than last week's estimates. The Fourth District will go beyond 4,000 in all probability. Its people are the most thoroughly aroused of any in the State, and the coalition have made no serious effort in it. Blaine's majority will be increased rather than reduced, while Frye's is likely to be nearly double that of 1870. This is not mere guess-work, but an expression based upon actual investigation and the results of the canvass now just complete.

The bright prospect which the situation has held out for the past two weeks, is fully maintained in all quarters, while in some it is even improved. The canvass shows that not more than two counties are likely to elect Democratic Senators, viz., Knox and Aroostook.

Republican Meeting in Rockland—Gen. Butler Replies to Some of Sumner's Arguments.

Special Dispatch to the New-York Times.

ROCKLAND, Me., Sept. 6.—Gen. Butler addressed a meeting here to-night in Trues and Farwell Hall. There were at least 3,000 in the hall, and over 4,000 unable to gain admittance. Gen. Butler referred to Mr. Sumner's declaration in his Faneuil Hall speech in regard to his new objections to President Grant, that "victory over fellow-citizens should be known only in the rights it assures. It should not be inscribed on a regimental color, or portrayed in pictures at the national capital," &c., &c., and said the same objections apply to Gen. Washington, and we should have to tear down Bunker Hill Monument and take the names from our regimental colors placed in the different State-houses. He spoke at length on the different issues of the campaign, and was very enthusiastically received. This district is sure for Grant by a large majority.

Speaker Blaine Among His Friends and Neighbors—An Able and Convincing Address.

Special Dispatch to the New-York Times.

AUGUSTA, Me., Sept. 6.—Speaker Blaine addressed his neighbors and constituents in this city this evening on the issues of the present campaign. The hall in which he spoke, the largest in the city, is one of the largest in the State, and was completely filled with an audience notable for its intelligence, which included many ladies and many of the foremost Republicans in this neighborhood. The Mayor of the city, Hon. J. J. Elreth, presided, and introduced Mr. Blaine with a few words of the highest compliment. Referring to the large number of eminent Republican leaders who have been on the stump in the State during this campaign, he said Mr. Blaine was the peer of the ablest of them all, and, he added, he fills the third office of the nation in rank and the second in influence with unsurpassed ability. We have long honored him and he us, and I trust that on Monday he will receive new and satisfactory proof that our confidence in him is undiminished. These expressions the audience indorsed by enthusiastic applause. Mr. Blaine made one of the best speeches of the campaign. It was dignified and able; it was an argument searching, clear and convincing. He spoke first of the careful manner in which the makers of the Constitution had framed it; how they had purposely made it difficult to amend, and then noted the different amendments which had been adopted—those of the bill of rights suggested by Jefferson and those of our day, greater than all, pointing out the great formalities and care exercised before their adoption. Here passing to a discussion of the Thirteenth, Fourteenth and Fifteenth Amendments, in which he said the results of the war are gathered up and secured, he first explained their scope, and then alluded to the conduct of the Government in enforcing them, on which the opposition base their strongest arguments. He defended the Kuklux law, showed its necessity, noted the terrible condition of affairs in the South before it, and the comparatively tranquil state of things there now, and then approached a dissection of Greeley politically by reading his enthusiastic and apparently honest support of the law and its thorough enforcement but a short time ago. He castigated Greeley for having pandered to the Southern sentiment of local self-government by, after assisting in the legislation of the Fourteenth Amendment, selling out all that he might catch the bubble of a Presidential nomination, and next for promising to do what is unconstitutional in pledging not to interfere by veto with the legislation on the tariff. He examined his financial hobbies, and ridiculed his specie payment plan, showing that the results of its adoption of resuming specie payment by resuming would be to them the control of gold into the hands of Wall-street speculators, and precipitate financial confusion and ruin on the people. Mr. Blaine made an able argument against the local self-government fallacy, and in the amnesty views of Greeley, showing in the former the inconsistency of our defending the rights of an American citizen abroad, on the most shadowy claims ready to fight all the nations combined, and yet expressing or declaring that we have no power to defend the humblest citizen in the South, because, forsooth, it is interfering with local self-government. The speaker closed with an appeal to the electors in Maine to give an old-fashioned majority for the effect it would have on other States. When he ended, three of the most rousing cheers were given for him by the great crowd.

CONNECTICUT.

A Sorehead and Democratic Fizzle in Stonington—Greeleyites Scarce.

Special Dispatch to the New-York Times.

STONINGTON, Conn., Sept. 6.—The call issued by the sorehead Republicans and Democrats of this town, for a caucus today, to appoint delegates to the "Dolly Varden" Electoral Convention, at Hartford, was responded to by only twelve persons, nearly all of whom were eager office expectants. Greeleyites hereabouts, since the Vermont election, are dwindling away like a snow-bank before a Summer's sun.

THE AMALGAMATION AT SYRACUSE.

Dissatisfaction with the Ticket—Why it is to Weak—The Country Democracy Getting Their Eyes Open.

Special Dispatch to the New-York Times.

SYRACUSE, N. Y., Sept. 6.—In spite of the manufactured enthusiasm of the amalgamation love-feast, last evening, the ticket placed in the field yesterday by the Democratic and Greeley coalition is by no means satisfactory to a large share of the delegates, and their confidence in its success grows weaker the more they reflect upon the difficulties that beset it. It is a well-known fact that a very numerous and organized body of voters, comprising men of both parties, cannot and will not vote for the head of the ticket under any circumstances. They may be actuated by a foolish prejudice or passion, such as ought not to find place in our politics, but the fact stands nevertheless, and in estimating the chances of Mr. Kernan's election, his friends cannot ignore it if they would. It is conceded that the Anti-Catholic vote will make a difference of fifteen or twenty thousand, at least, throughout the State in Mr. Kernan's prospects, and it is only the very sanguine among the amalgamationists who believe that he can afford to lose that margin. As this subject of the religious faith of the candidate has been freely canvassed among the delegates of the Convention that put him in nomination, and as it must, whether rightly or wrongly, have no little weight in the present canvass, it may be a matter of interest to state that Mr. Kernan is what is known in Europe as an Ultramontane Catholic. Like Charles O'Conor, to whom his admirers are fond of comparing him, he believes in the infallibility of the Pope, and takes extreme ground in favor of maintaining him in his temporal power, or rather of restoring to him that of which he believes him to have been wrongfully deprived. In a word, he is known in Utica, where he resides, and where he is universally respected as a man and a citizen, to be a rigid Catholic of the straightest sect. It was stated by a delegate to the Convention, with what truth I know not, that if Mr. Kernan were elected, he would be the first Roman Catholic who had ever attained the office of Governor in any State of the Union outside of Louisiana. If this be so, it is, of course, purely a matter of accident.

COUNTRY DEMOCRATS ON THE SITUATION.

Many things occurred during the proceedings of the Democratic Convention, indicating very plainly what could also be gathered from private conversations with the delegates, that the rank and file of the rural Democracy is by no means satisfied with the awkward position in which their leaders and the trading politicians of the party have placed them. During the acrimonious discussion yesterday on the share of the State ticket that should be awarded to the Sorehead Republicans, Mr. Faulkner, who acted as temporary Chairman, and who was, if not the ablest, certainly the most candid and "square, toed" man in the Convention, said, in speaking of the proposition to give the Greeleyites two names on the ticket, that there was no use in disguising the fact that the great mass of Democrats in the country were not satisfied with the present condition of things. They might acquiesce as a body, perhaps, in what had already been done in the way of amalgamating the Democrats with the Greeleyites, but they were ill at ease, and it would not do to take any action that would be likely to increase their dissatisfaction. For one he would not feel like going before the Democracy of his district and ask them to vote for two Republicans on the State ticket after having already asked them to vote for a Presidential ticket composed wholly of Republicans. Notwithstanding Mr. Faulkner's warning, a majority of the Convention, for the sake of gratifying Sam. Cox, consented to let two Republicans go on the ticket.

The most noticeable and palpable thing connected with the whole amalgamating ceremonies at Syracuse was the total lack of sympathy or cordiality between the two Conventions. They met in separate halls, each adhered to its own name, a separate State Committee was appointed for each, and everything tended to show as clearly as possible that their present temporary union is merely an unprincipled political trade for the purpose of securing the spoils of office which neither party saw any other mode of grasping. If, as they pretend, they are actuated by principle, and can agree to adopt a common platform of political faith, as they claim to have done at Baltimore and Cincinnati, why should they continue to exist as two parties, with different names and separate organizations? Why wrangle for three days over a division of petty names on the State ticket, when they were all brethren together, actuated by the same political principles and seeking the same ends? The truth is, the whole thing is a false pretense and a sham, and the honest, sober, disinterested voters among their adherents are beginning to see it, and to repudiate it. It is nothing more nor less than an infamous piece of political trafficking, through which a set of office-seekers and party hacks hope to attain place and power, by deceiving and making tools of the masses who follow their lead. The hollowness, dishonesty and fraud of the unnatural combination was at once denounced from the start, but the proceedings of the two Conventions that have sat here this week make it so clear that "he who runs may read."

THE OUTLOOK.

Greeleyism Waning—Indiana and Pennsylvania for Grant—Maine will Give 12,000 Majority.

Special Dispatch to the New-York Times.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 6.—Letters and dispatches received here from different parts of the country since the Vermont election, bring the intelligence that the Greeley movement is rapidly declining, and that a general stampede is inevitable before November. The most cheering accounts of the canvass in Indiana and Pennsylvania are reported almost daily, and there is no doubt expressed here that we shall carry them by good majorities.

Gov. Washburne, of Wisconsin, who arrived in town this morning from Maine, is confident that we shall carry that State by from 10,000 to 12,000 majority.

VERMONT.

Returns from 202 Towns—Steady Republican Gains.

RUTLAND, Vt., Sept. 6.—Returns from 202 towns give Converse 38,224, Gardner 14,668. The Republican majority in 202 towns is 23,616. The Republican majority in the entire State will probably be from 25,000 to 26,000. There are thirty-nine towns yet to be heard from.

PENNSYLVANIA.

Large Republican Meeting in Allentown—Celebrating the Vermont Victory.

Special Dispatch to the New-York Times.

ALLENTOWN, Penn., Sept. 6.—The Republicans of Allentown are celebrating the great victory in Vermont to-night, by a large and brilliant torch-light procession, accompanied with fire-works. One of the largest meetings ever held here is now being addressed on Centre-square by Hons. W. W. Ketchum and A. W. Hennessey. Lehigh promises to do better.

ARKANSAS.

Trouble Among the Piebalds—Disgust of the Old-Time Democracy.

Special Dispatch to the New-York Times.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Sept. 6.—The Greeleyites have three State Central Committees—one representing the Democracy, one the Liberals, and the other the Brooks and Rice Party. In order to consolidate these elements, three members from each Committee were selected, who were to constitute a Campaign Committee. Of this last, Senator Rice is Chairman. A few days since these Committees all met for the purpose of altering the Brooks ticket so that the Democracy would receive representation. The Democracy claimed four places on the ticket, and named four members of their Committee for preferment. Rice cut their demands down to two, and gave the Greeleyites one member of the electoral ticket. This action has not strengthened the ticket or the cause of Greeley. The Democracy claim they furnish nine-tenths of the votes and only have two-elevenths of the offices. The rural gentlemen say they want no better evidence of the Greeley movement being a struggle for office than is presented by the action of these Committees. There is no enthusiasm at their action, but much muttering and discontent. We have advices from Senator Clayton, who is now in active canvass, that there are thousands of Democrats who declare they will not support Greeley and will not vote at all. The leading Democrats concede in private that the State is sure for Grant.

The Sheriff at the Head of Three Companies of Militia.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Sept. 6.—The Governor has sent Major-Gen. Upham, of the militia, and fifteen of his guards to Pope County today. They were met at the end of the railroad by Dodson, the Sheriff, with three companies of militia. Trouble of the gravest character is apprehended.

INDIANA.

The Bourbons Organizing for a Vigorous Campaign—A State Convention Called—Work of the Republican Canvass.

Special Dispatch to the New-York Times.

INDIANAPOLIS, Sept. 6.—One of the most important political items of the day is that the Bourbons are active, and determined to make the most of the situation, notwithstanding the semi-failure at Louisville. Their repugnance, in this State, to the Greeley and Baltimore sale, is so intense that they have determined to proceed, at all hazards, to perfect and maintain a separate Democratic organization. To this end a call has been issued for a Democratic State Convention, to assemble in this city on the 9th inst., when a full O'Conor and Adams electoral ticket will be put in the field, and a State ticket also, if they shall conclude at that time that such a step is desirable. In some districts nominations will be made for Congress, and in no case will the Bourbons sustain the sold Democratic ticket for national, State, Congressional or local officers. The Bourbon Convention promises to be large and influential. Such men as Ex-Senator Graham, N. Fitch, Alfred O. Edgerton and others of like character, are now coming to the front and taking the lead in this movement.

The canvass continues active in every quarter, the principal meetings today being at Newport, where Sen

the ship, and that flames having burst from the cabins and all forward of that, I left the ship in the same boat. Shortly after Mr. Haegar communicated with the large life-boat she filled and capsized. The wind had now freshened to a fresh east by south breeze, and the sea was increasing. The boats were all too deep to be able to give them any assistance; but by the aid of the wreck of the stoven life-boat, which was near them, they finally succeeded in righting and baling out their boat, and reaching Cat Island, but with, I regret to add, the loss, by drowning, of several of her passengers and crew—supposed to be from seven to ten lost. Inclosed you please find a full report as regards this boat from Mr. Geo. W. Baffey, who had charge of her, assisted by Quartermaster Arthur Howland. On leaving the ship I intended to distribute the officers, whom I had to keep on board, among the other boats, but those that were lightly laden kept to windward and out of my reach. After pulling to windward a short time I found that my boat was so deeply laden that she would certainly fill and swamp if I continued doing so. I was compelled in order to prevent this to keep to leeward of her entirely. On the 16th at 10 A. M., we sighted the land ahead and continued running along it until 3½ P. M., when I discovered a safe landing-place under the lee of a reef, and then beached the boat. We were soon met by the colored inhabitants, who informed me that we had landed at James' Point, Eleuthera Island. We were treated in the kindest and most hospitable manner. I immediately made arrangements for having fires built at night and day signals shown to guide the rest of the boats to safe landing-places, and sent couriers with written requests to the authorities to have the same done at other points, and, if possible, to dispatch vessels to sea to search for and rescue the rest of the boats. After walking across the ice side of the island I succeeded in hiring a boat from Mr. Boston Johnson, head man at this settlement, to take me to Nassau, and made arrangements for having the rest of my passengers forwarded the next day to the same port. At 7 P. M. the same evening I started for Nassau by boat, taking the second mate and five of the crew with me, and arrived at that place the next morning, Aug. 17, at 8 A. M. I immediately communicated with the American Vice-Consul, Mr. Saunders, and it was soon sent off a vessel to cruise for the boats still out. Hon. S. O. Johnson, underwriters' agent for the Bahamas, had the Atlantic Mail Company's tug Anna coaled and prepared for sea, and at 1 P. M. we sailed in her to cruise for the boats, Mr. Johnson accompanying me on the tug. We proceeded to sea, and cruised in all directions in search, where would be a chance of meeting the boats, calling at Harbor Islands, during our absence, to repair a leak in the tug's boiler, and dispatching a wrecking schooner from thence to cruise also and assist us in our search. On Aug. 23, after an absence of nearly six days, found that five boats had reached land, and that their passengers were at Nassau. The second boat which landed, unfortunately capsized in the surf, and nine persons were drowned from her. Their names are unknown, excepting Mrs. Bramser and three of her children. Their bodies were recovered and buried by the authorities of Eleuthera Island. There is still one boat missing, but as she was the largest of the life-boats, and only moderately loaded and fully provisioned and watered, I strongly hope she has been picked up by a passing vessel and her crew saved. The origin of the fire I am unable to state certainly, but I think it broke out on the between decks, over the boiler, and possibly among the cargo, as the cabins were all out in the forehold, where it was at first supposed to be. During the fire and during all the time on board the ship, the officers and crew behaved very well, performing their duties in a quiet and cool manner, there being only a slight uneasiness and disposition to rush for the boats, shown by the shoving off of the boat when I commenced to disembark the passengers. This was readily quelled, and all after this proceeded in a cool and quiet manner. The last person whom I sent out of the ship before leaving the ship was the chief engineer, Mr. Wright, whose report of the accident you will please find inclosed. On the boat which capsized in my absence coming to the assistance of my boat, and which has not arrived at Nassau, I am sorry to say that Mr. Rand, second engineer, and three firemen, of whose names I am unable to state certainly, but I think it broke out on the between decks, over the boiler, and possibly among the cargo, as the cabins were all out in the forehold, where it was at first supposed to be. During the fire and during all the time on board the ship, the officers and crew behaved very well, performing their duties in a quiet and cool manner, there being only a slight uneasiness and disposition to rush for the boats, shown by the shoving off of the boat when I commenced to disembark the passengers. This was readily quelled, and all after this proceeded in a cool and quiet manner. The last person whom I sent out of the ship before leaving the ship was the chief engineer, Mr. Wright, whose report of the accident you will please find inclosed. 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The account of life and death in the Bienville stands at present thus:

The Bienville had a crew of sixty-five men, and passengers in number sixty-five, making a total of 127 souls. Of these the first boat, commanded by Capt. Jeff. Maury, contained twenty-one able-bodied men, no women and no children, and all arrived safely at Eleuthera.

The second boat contained twenty-two souls, consisting of twelve men, four women and six children, of whom thirteen came in safely to Eleuthera, one man, three women and five children being drowned in the surf at the landing.

The third boat contained ten men and two boys, all of whom came in safely to Eleuthera.

The fourth boat contained fourteen souls—eight men and six women, all of whom were landed safely in Eleuthera, but one, Anna Brody, is supposed to have drowned herself.

The fifth boat contained twenty-five souls—twenty-two men and three women, all of whom came safely to San Salvador.

Seven souls were lost by the swamping of a boat against the ship's side.

This gives a total of ninety-nine whose fate has definitely been ascertained, whether good or evil, and there remains a balance to be accounted for of twenty-six souls, of whom nothing could be learned. The boats became quickly separated, save the third and fourth, which stuck well to each other. Capt. Maury left Nassau in the steamer Anna, in hopes of ascertaining some news of the sixth boat, that contains these twenty-six, but he could hear nothing of them. But there is reason to hope that she may have been picked up, though the conditions were not so favorable as they might have been, for there was considerable wind, and a swell which, though insignificant to vessels, must have been heavy to a small boat. They were in the track of vessels bound for New-York from the south and from the Islands, and may have been picked up by a vessel going to Jamaica, or perhaps some tartier. The delay in hearing from them, though it undoubtedly increases the anxiety of friends, is in reality no argument of the boat's loss, for it might very well happen that it might be picked up by a vessel going where there was no communication.

STATEMENT OF GEO. W. BAFFEY.

The following is the report of Mr. Geo. W. Baffey, a passenger on board the steam ship Bienville, who was placed in command of the fifth boat:

NASSAU, N. P., Aug. 27, 1872.

Capt Jefferson Maury, commanding late steamship Bienville:

SIR: I beg to hand the following report of what took place under my observation before leaving the steamer, also of the action of myself and the fellow-passengers and crew which you placed me in charge of when you had decided to abandon the ship.

I was called about 4 A. M. on the morning of the 15th of August, and told that the ship was on fire. I hastened on deck and reported myself to the Captain as ready to do any service that he might require of me. He declined my services at the time with thanks, but told me that the fire was in the "fore-hold," and that he was uncertain if he could overcome it, as the steam-pump had broken down after one or two strokes. He then went below to the scene of the fire, and when he returned to the deck I again approached him. He then told me that Watling's Island was distant twenty-five miles, course south by west; also that he would probably want me to take charge of one of the boats. We walked aft together to the quarter-deck, when he ordered the steward to serve all the passengers with coffee, bread, &c. Had the passengers not been on deck, no one could tell that anything unusual was taking place. It had been my misfortune to have been placed in some trying positions, but I had never witnessed better discipline preserved, or greater coolness displayed, than I saw that morning in the conduct of Capt. Maury and his officers. By the time the passengers had finished coffee the boats, with the exception of the two temporarily hoisted on the quarter davits, had been launched, and were ready to receive passengers. The Captain, stationed at the head of the gangway, called such as were nearest, and assisted them into the boats. Two boats had been loaded and pulled to windward of the steamer, when an accident happened to the third boat, to which any loss of life must be attributed. She had received her full complement, and was hauling away from the ship when, through the stupidity and awkwardness of a fireman, she was allowed to strike under the counter; the people in her, endeavoring to escape being crushed, capsized her. So soon as the people had been picked up, I was called by the Captain and told to take charge of the boat hoisted on the starboard quarter. I was ordered to take as many people as possible and distribute them in the boats to windward, and to endeavor to get my boat into them every man they could carry. I received thirty-two people from the steamer, four of them women. I put off, and pulled within hailing distance of one boat; I hailed to come and take two men more; no answer was that he could see me d—d first, and, having his own people, he was able to keep beyond my reach. This selfishness was the first I had seen among my passengers, who began to think that we had too many people in our boat. She had also leaked, and as no one had bailed, she by this time had six or seven inches of water in her. I told them to bail her out and keep quiet. No one obeyed me, however, but all kept talking, some suggesting one thing, some another. We had been about a quarter of an hour in the boat when a boat came to us from the steamer, bringing sailing directions and compass, also three more men, the chief engineer having informed the Captain that there were seventeen people besides the Captain still on board, without any means of getting off. My passengers objected to receiving them. I felt that my boat could hold them all, as she was the best boat in the ship. I called out, "All right; put them in." They would prevent me running the boat, but I had four oars and a sail forward, so we could lay where I was until picked up. The passengers had not obeyed me when I told them to bale the boat, and the water had now reached the thwarts, and when three more men came into her, she was very deep. Some one shouted that she was sinking. This caused many to attempt standing up, and in their struggles to do, so they capsized her. She righted almost immediately, floating gunwale under. I felt rather discouraged, seeing masts, sails, oars, water-breaker, &c., floating away with people clinging to them, knowing that those words had given me no assistance. Fortunately, all, with the exception of Barray, Howland and self, were provided with life-preservers. Half an hour later those who swam away with our common property returned; one of them, William Garrison, bringing back two oars, which proved our salvation. Howland and Barray tried to induce my people to let go of the boat and trust to their life-preservers, so that an attempt could be made to bail her out. Some few obeyed, but I saw that it was dopeless unless we could obtain a spar or some floating wreck to support them. We had three women, whose clothing being saturated, the life-preservers alone were not sufficient to float them. About this time a boat, apparently empty, was seen to leeward of us. I had the oars shipped and manned by Barray, Howland and Garrison, while I went outside the boat to encourage the passengers to swim and push her. We succeeded in reaching the empty boat about an hour's work, though she could not have been more than one and a half miles from us when seen. When within about fifty yards of her one of our oars broke, which was a great misfortune, as I would otherwise have gone back after the people that drifted away from me. The boat we succeeded in reaching contained four of our people who had swam toward the ship after our accident; it was the same boat that had capsized at the ship in the morning. She was badly stove and useless as a boat. We quickly transferred our passengers to her, I and Barry the people in our boat to ours as best possible. We worked her to leeward of the sunken boat, and, after two ineffectual attempts, succeeded in freeing her. Our broken oar was spliced and did duty as a mast, two stripe of canvas from the bottom of the sunken boat, with a lady's skirt and two men's coats made our mainsail, and a second lady's skirt made an excellent jib. As soon as ready, I began to take passengers on board—women first, the lightest and most active of the men forward to work the oar and sails. Barry had charge of them, and arranged them so as to relieve one another; Garrison attended to the bailing, while I and Howland relieved each other steering. Our passengers, with a couple of exceptions, now obeyed all orders cheerfully. As near as I could judge it was 2 P. M. when we cast off from the wrecked boat, laying a course about west south-west, the burning steamer being distant about two miles. We saw two columns of smoke shoot up from her, and supposed it to be an explosion, though we heard no report; she sank almost immediately, going down stern foremost. About 3 P. M. I ordered the oar to be laid in, as the men were tired after such a long time in the water, the stewardess, well through the night and daylight found us full of hope and cheerfulness. I told them to place wet clothes on their heads as a prevention of thirst, and that they must keep them constantly wet through the day. The previous day, when righting the boat, I had picked up a lime; this I now divided in twenty-five parts, not that I expected it to prevent either hunger or thirst for so many, but as a reminder that their safety depended entirely on the mercy of God and their own exertions. About 10 A. M. the wind began to freshen, and by noon the sea was running quite heavy; one sea overtook us and nearly filled us. I called Barray and Howland aft and proposed to heave the boat to. They objected, saying that they could keep her free, now that the passengers were obedient. I gave up my proposition and continued to run her before the sea. About 4 P. M. Barray sighted land ahead, and we reached the line of breakers about 9 P. M. We could find no opening in them till about 3 A. M., when I saw a small opening, which I determined to attempt as there was an ugly squall approaching. I went forward to direct the steering; Howland and Garrison at the oar. I told all to put on their life-preservers, and the men to hold themselves ready to jump out and hold on to the boat when I told them to. At this moment my oar broke, but she was pointed straight for the beach, Garrison using the stump of the oar to fend her off from the rocks. She only touched once, and in a few seconds she was beached with a cheer. The squall now broke on us, the heavy rain-drops striking us like ice, and I think we suffered more during the half hour it lasted than all the time since leaving the ship. At daylight we started along the beach to the southward, and about three miles from where we landed, arrived at the settlement of Camperdown, Island of San Salvador. From here, a messenger was despatched to "Arthur's Lawn," on the opposite side of the island, the resident Magistrate of which came to our assistance, bringing refreshments in abundance.

I will here close my report, as you are already in possession of what took place after this until we arrived at Nassau. I beg to recommend to your notice the deserving conduct of Peter Barry, seaman, Arthur Howland, Quartermaster, and William Garrison, Captain's man, as it is mainly owing to their exertions that so many lives have been saved. They were always first to obey, always cheerful, and encouraged the passengers by words of hope.

I am, Sir, your obedient servant,

GEO. W. BAFFEY,

Passenger, late Steam-ship Bienville.

STATEMENT OF MR. T. H. WOOLRICH.

Thos. H. Woolrich, of Oaxaca, on the west coast of Mexico, a British subject, made the following statement:

I took passage on the Bienville for Aspinwall, on the 10th of August, and was assigned a berth in the after cabin, below. Nothing particular occurred until the 15th. On the previous evening I had retired very late, about 12 o'clock, and fallen asleep. I was awakened by the stopping of the engines; then I heard the men working with the hose, and I came to the conclusion that the ship was on fire. I sprang out of bed, put on part of my dress, and went on deck. As I passed up, several of the cabin crew were standing at their stations, appearing as if they were waiting for orders. When I reached the main deck, I found the steerage and most of the cabin passengers assembled there aft. It was about 4 o'clock. I went to the forward part of the vessel and saw that the officers and crew were trying to put out the fire. There was some smoke then coming up from the hatchway, and the officers and men were below in the steerage hatchway trying to prevent the flames from bursting out. There were no outcries of alarm from any of the passengers, and I think the men have been because they saw the Captain and chief engineer and his men to be so cool and self-possessed, and doing all they could to avert the danger. A very heavy sea was running at the time, but I don't think there was much wind. I thought myself that there was no hope of saving the ship. Soon after I got on deck I heard the Captain, who stood forward, sing out to his men to launch the three boats that were near the wheel-house—not the four boats which were on the davits—and I helped to get them down. The whole of the seven boats were launched safely. The Captain stood at the gangway passing the women and children into them first, and giving his orders quietly. The same was the case with the officers. All this time the chief engineer was going to and from the engine-room, up to the very last moment, driving, as I understood, the steam into the hold to smother the fire. There was no confusion, no excitement, I distinctly remember that. I spoke to Capt. Maury several times, and he could not have been more perfectly self-possessed. Once he said to me: "Woolrich, you go among the women, and those that you see excited calm them." I went and told them that there was no danger; that everybody would be saved, and that they would all be brought back to the steamer as soon as the fire was put out. Those women behaved very courageously—turned a shade paler, perhaps, when they looked at the frightfully heavy sea that was rushing past, but not a single exclamation of fear or distress escaped them. If the Captain had lost his presence of mind now we should all have been lost, but not for a moment did it forsake him. It was important to get the passengers into the boats in safety, and the Captain saw that it was done until six or then put off. No. 1 should have said that one boat swamped alongside the steamer, owing to the heavy sea, but none of its passengers were drowned. She was full against the side and was stove in, and the Captain at once shouted out to John Gough, the second officer, to repair the damage while the boat was in the water, which he did by nailing heavy strips of canvas on the bottom. As the men were nailing it on, the heavy sea repeatedly washed them off, but they stuck to the work until it was finished. After the repairs had been made the boat was hoisted on the tackle that the water might be got out of her, but the sea was running so high that she was again damaged—split fore and aft, and the bow taken clean out of her. By this time the flames had burst out everywhere forward, and I saw the smoke coming out of the seams of the hull. Five of the boats had been filled with passengers and sent off in safety, one was damaged and hanging at the side of the Bienville, and there was still one boat left for us who remained. When I was arrested Sergt. Nicholson assured me that if I would tell all I knew I should not be prosecuted, and gave me his word of honor as a gentleman and a Mason that I should not. It was dishonorable and sharp practice to entrap me and then turn my own words against me. I voluntarily surrendered all the pawn tickets for the stolen goods, was not even searched, and have been anxious and willing to make any atonement in my power. I know not where Ellis' wife is, nor Mr. Uhl's property is and am anxious to return it, but have not been given an opportunity." The prisoner continued at some length, and admitted that he was guilty of the crime charged against him. Mr. Sullivan stated that Capt. Cameron had never authorized Sergt. Nicholson to promise immunity to Finnin, and Judge Bedford charged the jury to bring in a verdict of guilty of an attempt to commit burglary in the first degree, which they immediately did.

Aiken then pleaded guilty to another indictment for grand larceny in having stolen from Dr. F. Putnam and Family, at No. 283 Fourth-avenue, making the third charge upon which he had been arraigned, leaving three others upon which he was not tried.

In answer to the formal question from the Clerk, of what he had to say why sentence should not be passed upon him, Aiken rose, and amid breathless attention proceeded to tell what had led him to the crime and to ask for mercy. Long before he concluded his appeal, men were seen to be wiping their eyes, even the District-Attorney was affected, and finally the prisoner himself broke down, expressing repentance for what he had done, and hoping to lead an honest life in future. He said he knew that his punishment was deserved, but asked for mercy for the sake of his little ones, while admitting that he should have thought of them before. He had always been an honest man until he gave way to the temptation to gamble, and he prayed that it might be a warning to him. He had never used violence in his crimes, had never even carried a weapon, and with voice quivering with emotion confessed his sorrow for his evil-doing and anxiety to make atonement. He finally broke down in a pathetic appeal for mercy, by which time there was hardly a dry eye in the Court-room.

After the excitement had somewhat subsided Judge Bedford, in passing sentence, addressed the prisoner in substance as follows:

Aiken, on the 4th day of January last you were sworn in as a member of the Metropolitan Police, thereby declaring, under the solemnity of an oath, that you would guard and protect the lives and property of your fellow-men. A few weeks only elapsed when you utterly disregarded your oath of office; taking advantage of your official position to screen your many villainies, you became a midnight burglar. Some of the burglaries you committed while wearing your uniform; this, indeed, was audacity itself. The Metropolitan Police of this City, by their official action, have from time to time justly merited the esteem and respect of this community. And I think it due to them that I should deal promptly and make an example of you, as one who, for the moment, has brought disgrace upon a brave and trustworthy set of men. The sentence of the Court is, that on the grand larceny charge, of which you were convicted on Thursday, you serve five years in the State Prison; on the second charge, of an attempt to commit burglary in the first degree, you serve ten years, and on the third charge of larceny, to which you have just pleaded guilty, you serve five years, each term to commence at the expiration of the other.

As the prisoner was led from the room the foreman of the jury, approaching Mr. Klutzing, his counsel, assured him that he would be the first to sign a petition that Aiken be pardoned after he had served four or five years of his sentence.

Cleaning the Streets.

The following resolutions in respect to the cleaning of the streets, and the removal of ashes and garbage, were adopted by the Board of Police, yesterday:

Resolved, That the Superintendent of Police be directed to instruct the Captains of the several precincts to make twice daily, (Sunday excepted), between the hours of 6 A. M. and 6 P. M., personal examination as to the thoroughness in which the ashes and garbage are removed, also whether the sweepers do their work in a thorough manner, and whether the dirt is taken up properly, or whether there is any other omission or neglect of duty, daily, in removing the same, and to make a special report in detail daily to the Commissioners, through the Superintendent.

Resolved, That the Superintendent be directed to instruct the Captains of the several precincts to cause each patrolman on post during the hours of 6 A. M. to 6 P. M., to report in writing the street or streets swept on each post, the hour, and number of sweepers employed, and to report such information to the Commissioners through the Superintendent, and cause any neglect of duty that may come to their knowledge on the part of any person connected with the business of street-cleaning.

Dangerous Adventure of Two Boys on a Railroad Train.

From the Boston Transcript, Sept. 5.

Two South Boston youngsters, twelve and fourteen years old, bound for the suburbs yesterday, thought to shorten the time of their outward trip by availing themselves of the advantages offered by the Old Colony Railroad for that purpose, but proposed at the same time to evade the payment of the customary fare. Their destination, we believe, was Savin Hill, and supposing the Plymouth train, which stopped at the South Boston Station just in the nick of time, would carry them to the romantic locality, they seated themselves upon the brake beam of one of the trucks, and rode away in high glee. Contrary to their expectations, however, the train was run express to Quincy, nine miles out, at high speed, and they had not gone far before their position on the brake became, to say the least, uncomfortable, and soon positively unbearable. The noise of the wheels as they passed from rail to rail deafenened them almost to unconsciousness, and the fine dust choked them nearly to suffocation. Frightened beyond expression, they would willingly have left their uncomfortable seats, but such an attempt would have been certain death. They endured their sufferings as best they could until the train hauled up at the Quincy Station. Then here, far gone, however, that they had lost all power to move, and but for their discovery by one of the train hands would have been carried still further. They were taken from the truck more dead than alive, and it was some time before they could be made to realize their situation, but then they were sent home with an experience the remembrance of which will follow them through their lives. It was the opinion of the conductor that had the train gone a few miles further before stopping, the venturesome urchins could not have lived. As it was, they owe their lives to the dampness of the road-bed, for had the dust been dryer they would have been suffocated in a few minutes.

CIVIL SERVICE.

Appointments Under the Government Made Subject to Ability Only—Political Preferments Entirely Disregarded—General Rules of the Civil Service Commission.

Since the establishment of our Republican Government, we have never held an election when the cry of extravagance and party favoritism has not been raised. The "outs" and coxcheads were of course clamorous for lost patronage, and vituperation of the party in power was the order of the day. Jackson's famous doctrine, "To the victor's belong the spoils," has been carried out faithfully since Old Hickory's advent, and remained in force. Public opinion, however, was stronger than party ties, and vox populi demanded a change, *i. e.*, if any of the Government officers, irrespective of politics, are competent, they shall not be removed at the request of party influence, and incompetent persons desiring an appointment, must obtain the same strictly on their merits.

Foremost of all to accomplish this reform was Hon. Mr. Jenckes, member of Congress from Rhode Island, and it was mainly due to his efforts that a code was enacted establishing "civil service" under the National Government. Last Winter the bill was passed, and on the 29th of December Secretary Boutwell addressed the following letter to all Collectors of Customs, Naval Officers, Appraisers and Sub-Treasurers:

SIR: The rules in regard to appointments in the civil service of the Government prepared by the Commissioners on the Civil Service, and approved by the President, will take effect on the 1st of January. On and after that day appointments and promotions in your office will be made in accordance with those rules as far as practicable. It will be necessary to designate a committee of competent persons to make competitive examinations of candidates for appointment, and as no provision for such examination shall have been made by Congress to defray the expenses, it will be necessary to name as Commissioners persons who are already in the service of the Government, and connected with your office. I therefore, to request that you will give me the names of three persons who are, in your opinion, best qualified to perform that duty, and unless objection shall appear, I will appoint those recommended. You will receive herewith a copy of the report of the Commissioners, together with the regulations approved by the President, which, until otherwise directed, will be the guide of your conduct in this business.

(Signed.) GEORGE S. BOUTWELL,
Secretary of the Treasury.

In accordance with the spirit of this letter, Gen. Arthur, Collector of the Port, nominated as Board of Examiners:

Deputy Collector Thomas L. James, Chairman; Special Deputy Collector James R. Lydecker, and Special Deputy Surveyor James L. Benedict.

Hon. A. S. Lafin, Naval Officer, nominated Col. Silas W. Burt, Special Deputy Naval Officer, Chairman; Robert Partridge, Chief Clerk; A. W. Green, Entry Clerk.

The Board of Examiners, named by the Appraiser, were Assistant Appraisers Bausch, Chairman, James Burt and Sturgess.

Gen. Hillhouse appointed as his Board Messrs. Wm. C. Bite, Chairman, C. H. Patterson and F. C. Field.

All the above recommendations were approved by the Secretary of the Treasury, and the several Boards ordered to prescribe a code of regulations, subject to the approval of the same.

The annexed is a summary of the rules prescribed by the Civil Service Reform Commission for the regulation of appointments generally:

1. That no person shall be appointed to the civil service who is not a citizen, whose character, health and age are not satisfactory, and who cannot speak, read and write the English language.

2. That an Advisory Board, to be appointed by the President, shall examine into the qualifications in each branch of the civil service, and grade and group for the purpose of promotion.

3. That vacancies occurring in the lowest grades of the service shall be filled by the civil service shall be filled from applicants who shall have passed a public competitive examination, on the certificates of the Board conducting such competitive examination.

4. That vacancies occurring in higher grades shall be filled by competitive examinations of applicants from lower grades of the same group.

5. That applicants qualified for appointment as custodians of money, and others in positions of trust, not be appointed except with the approval of the officer who is responsible for their pecuniary fidelity.

6. That Postmasters whose salary is less than $200, may be appointed upon the written request of applicants.

7. That the appointment of all persons, excepting persons appointed by the President, with the consent of the Senate, Secretaries of Legations, Ministers and Consuls, shall be made for a probationary term of six months, after which they may be reappointed on the recommendation of the Board of Examiners.

8. That the Board of Examiners appoint persons in each department of public service to serve as a Board of Examiners, which, under the supervision of the Advisory Board and under regulations to be provided by it, shall conduct personally, or by persons approved by the Advisory Board, all investigations and examinations for admission into said departments or for promotion therein.

9. Any person who, after long and faithful service in a department, shall be incapacitated by mental or bodily infirmaties for the efficient discharge of the duties of his position, may be appointed by the head of the department, at his discretion, to a position of less responsibility in the same department.

10. That certain small-salaried positions in the Consular service abroad may be filled by aliens, and certain positions at home, by experts not familiar with the English language, or legally capable of naturalization.

11. That no political assessments shall be levied on persons employed by the Government.

12. That the Advisory Board shall at any time recommend changes in these rules.

13. That from the rules are excepted the heads of departments, Assistant Secretaries of Departments, Assistant Attorney-General and First Assistant Postmaster-General, Solicitor-General, Solicitor of the Treasury, Naval Solicitor, Solicitor of Internal Revenue, Examiner of Claims in State Department, Treasurer of the United States, Register of the Treasury, First and Second Controller of the Treasury, Judges of the United States Courts, District-Attorneys, private Secretary of the President, Ambassadors and Ministers, Superintendents and Assistants of the Coast Survey, Director of the Mint, Governors of Territories, Special Commissioners, Special Annual Visiting and Examining Boards, persons appointed to positions requiring professional or expert services, dispatch agents and bearers of dispatches."

On these rules the various Boards of Examiners based their regulations, of which the following is a condensation:

Article 1 relates to applications for appointment which must be made in the handwriting of the petitioner, and must state: 1st. The position to which applicant desires to be appointed; 2d. Applicant's name in full; 3d. Place and date of birth; 4th. Legal residence; 5th. How long and what trade such; 6th. Education; 6th. Occupation past and present; 7th. Whether ever employed in the civil service, and, if so, when, how long, in what branch and capacity, and reasons for leaving the service; and 8th. Whether ever in the regular or volunteer army or navy, and, if so, when, and in what organization and capacity.

Article 2 requires the applicant to state whether his application is his own, and accompanied with written without assistance, and to being a citizen of the United States, and having received an honorable discharge as soldier or sailor, if in service during the war.

Article 3 demands a certificate of good and moral character, and faithfulness to the Union and Constitution of the United States.

Article 4 states that an application must be accompanied by a certificate of a practicing physician as to the petitioner's general health and physical capacity for the sought for position.

Article 5 requires renewal of application for appointment prior to Aug. 7 necessary, and provides that no application for appointment as day or night inspectors from persons under twenty-one years of age, or for other positions from persons under eighteen years, will be at all considered.

Article 6 reads that all applications upon their receipt will be carefully examined by the Board, and those not conforming to the above requirements, or those demonstrating that the applicant is unqualified for the desired position, will be rejected, and the applicant so informed. All other applicants will be designated as eligible for examination, and so notified. Inasmuch as applications are to be made in writing, and each case is to be decided upon its merit, personal importunity will have no weight.

The provisions of Article 7 are: No less than five days prior to each examination eligible candidates will receive a notification to appear at a certain time and place, unless it should be found impracticable to examine all candidates, a practicable number will be selected for examination. Those not selected will, however, remain on the eligible list.

The Article provides as follows: All candidates for appointment to positions at a salary of $1,200 or more, who shall appear in accordance with such notifications, will be subjected to a competitive written examination upon the following subjects: Penmanship; writing or briefing letters; elements of English grammar, chiefly orthography and syntax; arithmetic, fundamentals rules, fractions, percentage, interest and discount; elements of accounts and book-keeping; history and geography; general questions, such as relate to the United States, and prominent features of the government of the United States.

Candidates for appointment to positions the salary of which is less than $1,200, will undergo an examination in penmanship, copying, elements of English grammar, and fundamental rules of arithmetic. Proficiency in penmanship, orthography and punctuation will be determined principally by a review of the examination papers, and practical exercises. The Board of Examiners, however, are empowered to make such additions to the list of subjects as they may deem proper.

Article 9 treats on the subdivision into classes, and to each subject or class a relative weight, according to its importance in the examination, will be assigned by the Board of Examiners. The mode of ascertaining the result of the examination will be as follows: The degree of accuracy with which each question shall be answered will first be marked by the Board on a scale of 100; the average of the marks given to the answers to the questions on each subject or class will next be ascertained; each average will then be multiplied by the number indicating the relative weight of the subject or class, and the sum of the products will be divided by the sum of the relative weights; the quotient will determine the candidate's standing in the examination. This process may be illustrated as follows, the classification and relative weights of the subjects being arbitrarily assumed for the purpose:

Subject.	Relative weight.	Candidate, A.	Candidate, B.	Product of numerical standing and relative weight for each subject. Candidate, A.	Candidate, B.
		Average numerical standing in each subject.			
Penmanship	2	90	60	180	120
Grammar and letter-writing	4	65	75	260	225
Arithmetic and book-keeping	3	80	75	240	225
History, geography and government	1	80	90	80	90
General aptitude	1	85	70	85	70
Total	10	...	...	830	730
General average		83	73	...	...

Sum of relative weights.

830÷10=83.....A's standing on scale of 100

730÷10=73.....B's standing on scale of 100

Relative weight will be assigned not merely to the special qualifications of the candidates, but to their general aptitude, as shown in the course of the examination. In no case will an examination continue more than one day, nor out of business hours.

Article 10 requires the examiners to prepare a list of the examined persons as to their excellence to the head of the office having vacancies, but no more than three persons shall be so certified.

Article 11 provides that if any candidate having passed an examination of a minimum standard of sixty per centum, and failing to be appointed, may compete for other vacancies occurring within one year.

According to article 12, all examination papers will be filed and open at all times to the inspection of those interested under restrictions imposed by the head of the office.

Article 13 is relative to appointment of the Board of Examiners, which consists of three persons. The Chairmen of the Boards of Examiners of the Collectorate, Naval office and Treasury Department constitute a Board of Appeals.

Articles 14, 15 and 18 provide the proceedings in relation to vacancies when occurring, when the Board must convene and go into examination of applicants as per above rules, and report the standard of efficiency at the earliest convenience.

The last article (17) requires the list of names from which the appointments are to be made to be prepared and certified in the manner provided for admission to the lowest grade.

For the accommodation of the Boards of Examiners of the Collector's and Naval office, a room on the top floor of the Custom-house, on the north-east corner is being fitted up. This will be ready by the 1st prox., when examinations will be undertaken of applicants for appointment. There are now about twenty letters on file, which will be taken up in rotation, as they were received. The questioning will be quite sharp, and no candidate may hope to pass unless found thoroughly efficient in every prescribed branch.

Death of Hon. Z. A. Leland.

Judge Leland died on Monday last at Strachan Place, in the County of Saratoga, where he has resided since his retirement from the profession in 1852. The Albany *Argus* says: "He was a lineal descendant of Henry Leland, of Sherbourne, and a kinsman of the celebrated clergymen, John Leland, of Cheshire, and Aaron Leland, of Chester. He was a native of Vermont, and received a liberal education, which was completed at Middlebury College, under the auspices of Gov. Leland, who was then one of the officers of that institution. He was admitted to the Bar of New-York in 1830, and in a professional career of over thirty years, he held a distinguished position, in a range of practice which brought him in frequent contact with B. Davis Noxon, John C. Spencer, John A. Collier, Dudley Marvin, and others of like distinction as jurists and advocates. He was a strong and vigorous thinker, a thoroughly-trained lawyer, and an able and effective debater. Though he was an ardent politician, he had no taste for public life, and only in 1838 he yielded to the wish of the Bar and the personal request of Gov. Marcy, in accepting the place of Presiding Judge of the Steuben County Courts; and it was his singular good fortune to have almost every judgment he rendered from which an appeal was taken, during a term of five years, unanimously affirmed by the appellate tribunals. He was a member of the Legislature in 1842 and 1843, and held a conspicuous position in an assembly where the Democratic Party was represented by men like Sanford E. Church, Horatio Seymour and Michael Hoffman. From that time, he declined all official positions, and after an honored and successful professional career in the City of Auburn, to which he removed from Bath, he retired from the pursuits of active life, and spent his later years on the banks of the Hudson, in a home rendered attractive by pleasant surroundings and the associations of family ties.

Narrow Escape of a Little Child From Death.

On Saturday afternoon, says the Cumberland (Penn.) *News* of Tuesday, the engineer on the passenger-train going west on the Cumberland and Pennsylvania Railroad, when a short distance below Detmold Station, discovered a small child sitting on the track a little way ahead of the engine. "Down brakes" was sounded, the engine reversed, and every effort made to stop the train. One of the passengers looked out of the window and ascertained the cause of the alarm, and instantly the platforms were crowded and the windows filled with horror-stricken faces. It seemed impossible that the train could be stopped in the short distance, and, as the child did not move, its instant and horrible death seemed inevitable. Nearer and nearer drew the engine, though with greatly reduced speed, until finally it reached the spot, struck the child and knocked it from the track. Capt. Sheridan, the engineer, and others went back to the child, picked it up, and found it unhurt. They were about two years old. There was no one in sight and the nearest house was fully three-quarters of a mile distant, from which the infant is supposed to have strayed. A man was seen approaching from the direction of the house, and as the train had been delayed, the child was left to await his arrival, which it seemed content to do, and with a feeling of relief on all sides the train was started on its way once more.

Custom-House Withdrawals—Business Done in Bonded Warehouses.

The following is a comparative statement of the number of withdrawals from bonded warehouses and the duties paid during the corresponding months, from Jan. 1 to Sept. 1, of 1871 and 1872. It will be seen by this statement that the duties paid so far in 1872 are somewhat less than those for the corresponding period in 1871:

Number of withdrawals.		Duties paid.
January,	1871, 9,238	$6,095,041 78
February,	1871, 8,347	4,764,023 37
March,	1871, 9,725	5,471,773 34
April,	1871, 9,235	4,702,530 01
May,	1871, 7,370	4,816,414 62
June,	1871, 6,218	4,092,277 42
July,	1871, 6,973	4,734,529 38
August,	1871, 9,025	6,107,560 19
Total	55,201	$40,807,840 11
Number of withdrawals.		Duties paid.
January,	1872, 9,607	$6,302,532 12
February,	1872, 9,691	5,507,283 89
March,	1872, 9,948	5,135,165 15
April,	1872, 9,335	4,955,891 47
May,	1872, 8,135	4,307,840 10
June,	1872, 5,587	3,209,736 05
July,	1872, 5,677	2,206,760 97
August,	1872, 14,283	9,702,286 53
Total	72,262	$41,038,445 74

Suicide of a Commission Agent.

Charles H. Nesbitt, a well-educated Englishman, thirty-one years of age, came to this country two years ago, and established a commercial agency, forming connections with several prominent houses, and, to all appearances, prospering well. He began to drink, and contracted such dissipated habits that two weeks ago he was discharged from a lucrative position he held, and his wife, unable to endure his conduct, left him and went to live with some relatives. He was utterly destitute of money, and seemed very downcast. Yesterday morning he did not come down to breakfast in his boarding-house, No. 102 West Thirteenth-street, and his door was forced open, and he found lying dead in bed. Examination showed that he had taken morphine, a large quantity of which was found in the room.

Medal Police Officers.

Sergt. William A. Macomb, of the Twenty-second Precinct, and Roundsman E. J. McGloin, of the Fifteenth Precinct, were brought before Commissioner Manierre, yesterday, on charges of improper conduct and neglect of duty. Sergt. Macomb is charged with having been absent from duty without leave for three days and feigning sickness.

The charge against Roundsman McGloin is best told in the affidavit of Mr. Abraham Levy, of No. 241 West Fourteenth-street, which is as follows:

"On the night of the 1st of September, I left the Brevoort House about 11 P. M., and walked up Fifth-avenue. On the corner of Eleventh-street I saw Roundsman McGloin standing under a lamp talking to a female, and looked at them pretty closely. McGloin said to me, 'What the h——l are you looking at this woman for?' and I answered him 'Mr. I would report his conduct to Judge Bosworth, or some of the gentlemen at Police Head-quarters. He then said, 'What the h——l do I care for them any more than I do for you?' He then followed me down the street, and I was afraid that he would club me; as he passed me he spit on the sidewalk in front of me in a very insulting manner."

McGloin denied the charge and attempted to prove an *alibi*, but most signally failed.

THE EXTREME PENALTY.

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DESTRUCTIVE OIL FIRE.

Explosions at Sixty-Sixth-Street, North River—A Fireman and a Watchman Injured—Loss $30,000.

Shortly before 1 o'clock yesterday morning, a small tank, used for experimental purposes, and filled with petroleum in process of refining, exploded at the oil-works of Lombard, Ayres & Co., situated at the foot of Sixty-fifth and Sixty-sixth streets, North River. The burning oil was scattered a considerable distance, in all directions, and set fire to several wooden sheds close by. A small frame building, used as an office and carpenter-shop, immediately in the rear of the tank, was completely demolished. The force of the explosion was so great as to throw from their position a number of rails of the Hudson River Railroad track which were immediately in front of the oil-works, and the burning oil set fire to the fences on both sides of the track, and to the wooden ties and sleepers, covering a space of about one hundred feet. The telegraph poles immediately in front of the works were blown down, and the passage of freight and milk trains was interrupted for several hours. The flames quickly communicated to the "agitator," an immense tank capable of holding 1,000 barrels of oil. This tank is of iron, built on a solid brick foundation, and was inclosed with a corrugated iron building. At the time of the explosion there were 800 barrels, or 32,000 gallons of crude petroleum in this tank undergoing the process of refining. When the flames reached it they burst forth with redoubled fury. A vast body of flame arose from the mass of burning oil, accompanied by a dense column of black smoke, and ascended to a considerable height, illumihating the heavens and making everything in the neighborhood as clear as day. A section of the Fire Department had been summoned to the scene of the conflagration, but their efforts to stay the progress of the fast increasing flames were not of the slightest avail. A second alarm was sounded, and Engineers Bates, Rhodes and Sullivan were quickly on hand with a reinforcement of steamers and their firemen. The whole of the works were now in imminent danger of destruction, and it was apparent that the only course to pursue was to allow the fire in the tank to burn itself out, which would occur as soon as the supply of oil was exhausted, and to endeavor to save the surrounding tanks and buildings. The dangerous task the firemen applied themselves, and for several hours succeeded admirably. The fire in the large tank already alluded to burned fiercely all the morning, the supply of oil being apparently inexhaustible, and it was hoped that when all the oil was consumed the danger would cease. This was the hope until about 8½ o'clock, when the building surrounding the tank fell to the earth with a loud crash. The catastrophe scattered fire far and wide throughout the entire space of ground occupied by the works. The flames extended to a tank in the extreme northern portion of the ground, which was filled with benzine. A terrible explosion ensued, and the fire extending to two other tanks filled with crude petroleum, two lesser explosions followed. The firemen, who were still manfully battling with the flames, were compelled to retreat before the fierce heat. With the exception of the chief they managed to make their escape. Jacob Stilger, a member of Eugine Company No. 2, was cut off by a well of flame before which he retreated toward the river. The flames enveloped him, and to escape a horrible death he jumped overboard from the wharf. He was rescued from the water by two parties, and was found to be badly burned and otherwise injured. He was promptly removed to the Roosevelt Hospital, where he was properly cared for.

The flames next spread to several piers of barrels filled with crude petroleum, and before they could be removed out of reach of danger they were all on fire. The brick buildings in which the still and engine are located was in great danger, but the firemen returning to their labors, succeeded in heading off the fire before it reached these buildings.

The oil is still burning last night, and will doubtless continue to burn until the supply of oil is wholly exhausted. No further danger from the spread of the fire is apprehended. The loss of Lombard, Ayres & Co. is estimated between $28,000 and $30,000, on stock of oil, tanks, machinery, &c. This is the fourth time the works have been partially destroyed by fire within the past three years.

The cause is unknown, but it is supposed to have originated from a leak in the tank. James Bannan, the night watchman, was in the office at the time of the first explosion, and was severely burned in his efforts to escape.

THE UNDER-GROUND RAILROAD.

The Work to be Shortly Commenced—The Road and its Engineering Difficulties.

"I hope to commence work at both ends of Commodore Vanderbilt's under-ground railroad, namely—at City Hall and at Fifty-sixth-street and Fourth-avenue, on or before the 15th inst.," said Mr. Buckout, the engineer, to a reporter, yesterday. The depot at the City Hall will be opposite the north end of the Post-office, Henry Beekman-street, and will be 112 feet long and 50 feet broad. The track at this point will be sunk about nineteen feet below the street level. There are to be eight stations along the road. The route of the new road is to be as follows: From the City Hall Park it curves into Centre-street, near the Register's office; then in Centre as far as Reade; then it runs through the centre of the blocks south of Park-street, crossing Duane, Pearl, Baxter, Worth, Mulberry, Mott, Doyer and Pell, the latter situated in the close vicinity of Chinatown-square, where it reaches the Bowery. Until Grand-street the Bowery Railroad Institute is reached, the road diverges into Fourth-avenue, passing to the east side of the Grand Central, and along to Fifty-sixth-street, where it will connect temporarily with the Harlem Railroad. From Thirteenth to Eighteenth street the road will pass under the solid rock. At the Murray Hill tunnel, running from Thirty-fourth to Fortieth streets, the line will be underpinned—which means that a second tunnel will be built, and the Fourth-avenue cars will run over the under-ground railroad tunnel. The top of the tunnel will be on an average, three feet below the street's surface. Mr. Buckout is hopeful that the down-town portion of the road will be constructed within two years, but the up-town portion, on account of the engineering difficulties, will probably take longer. A few days commissioners will be appointed to appraise some property in the vicinity of Five Points, where a depressed road will be built, and about which a disagreement as to price has occurred between Commodore Vanderbilt and the owners.

Americans in the Dominion Parliament.

From the Buffalo Commercial Advertiser, Sept. 5.

The hotly-contested elections in the Dominion are now drawing to a close, and among the elect we find the following Americans:

Mr. Joseph M. Currier, member for Ottawa City, the capital, is engaged in the lumber business. Mr. Joseph Rymal, the wit of the House of Commons, member for South Riding, Wentworth; Mr. Colby, member for Stanstead, Eastern Township; Mr. John H. Pope, member for Compton; Mr. Julius Scriver, member for Huntington; Mr. Luther Holton, member for Chateauguay. The members of the last House, not in the Second Parliament, were as follows: Mr. Aquila Walsh, member for North Riding, Norfolk, and Mr. I. Z. Bown, member for North Riding, Brant.

All these gentlemen have the shrewdness of Americans on this side of the line, and have advanced themselves in a country where the very name of American excites prejudice. Most of them are Republicans at heart, but their very shrewdness leads them to vote with the present Government. Should a Reform Administration succeed it, no doubt they will be found where their real inclinations lead them. The last on the list, Mr. L. H. Holton, is a man of wealth and commercial standing in Montreal. In the Macdonald Dorion Administration of 1858 he was Minister of Finance. The other gentlemen have never been in the Governm.ent.

Besides these American representatives there is a class, the sons and grandsons of United States loyalists; but these have lost all love for this country, and cannot be called Americans. They are to be found along the Niagara and in the eastern townships.

Wild Beasts in the Streets of Mobile.

From the Mobile (Ala.) Register, Sept. 1.

A short time since, when we reported that a couple of panthers had been seen prowling about the city, the statement seemed so improbable that many conceided that it was a humbug or a "dog story." They could not be made to believe that panthers would leave the swamps and prowl about the streets of a city, seeking food in the shape of a stood fat pigcaninny. To all such unbelievers, we will state that Capt. Barlow, Chief of Police, has informed us that two wild panthers were seen Thursday night, at the corner of George and Palmetto streets. They were moving along quite leisurely, but a ball from a policeman's pistol caused them to accelerate their speed, and they ran down George-street to Church, then up Church and disappeared. One was quite large and the other small. In the morning the tracks were examined by experienced hunters, and the report of the policeman confirmed. This is reliable, and not a joke, and it would be well for the sportsmen of the city to hunt up the animals before they succeed in doing any mischief.

The Appointment of Election Inspectors.

At a meeting of the Board of Police, yesterday, at which Mayor Hall was present, the following resolutions in relation to the appointment of inspectors of election and poll clerks was adopted, Commissioner Bosworth voting in the negative:

Resolved, That no person holding office under the Federal, State or Municipal Governments shall be appointed as an inspector of election or poll clerk.

FINANCIAL AFFAIRS.

Sales at the Stock Exchange—SEPT. 6.

GOVERNMENT STOCKS—10¾ A. M.

$7,500 U. S. 6s, '81, C...115⅛ | 59,000 U.S.5-20C.,'67,83.113¾
10,000 U.S.5-20R.,'62,83.114 | 5,000 do.....113¾
5,000 U.S.5-20 C.,'65,n.113 | 10,000 U.S. 5-20C.,'68,c.113⅜
7,500 U.S. 5s,10-40C..83.108 | 7,000 do.....113¾

SALES BEFORE THE CALL—10 A. M.

800 Western Union... 71⅛
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200 do.....b3. 71⅝
400 do.....s3. 71⅝
500 do.....b3. 71⅝
100 Panama.....123⅜
100 Pacific Mail.....c. 70¼
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100 do.....c. 70⅜
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100 do.....70¼
300 do.....70¼
500 do.....s3. 70⅛
400 N. Y. C. & H...83. 98½
200 do.....98⅜
600 Erie Railway.....48⅝
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100 Del. & H. Canal...119
50 Manhattan Gas...220
100 Consol. Coal.....42
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10 Quick. Min. Co.....40
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NEW-YORK, SATURDAY, SEPT. 7, 1872.

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Amusements This Evening.

FIFTH-AVENUE THEATRE.—DIAMONDS—Geo. Clarke, James Lewis, Miss Fanny Davenport. Matinée at 1½.

WALLACK'S THEATRE.—IXION—Miss Lydia Thompson, Mr. Harry Beckett. Matinee at 1¼.

OLYMPIC THEATRE.—THE RED POCKET-BOOK—SKETCHES, &C. Mr. Neil Warner. Matinée at 2.

BOOTH'S THEATRE.—THE BELLS. Mr. James W. Wallack and Company. Matinée at 1½.

GRAND OPERA-HOUSE.—ROI CAROTTE—Mrs. John Wood and Mr. John Brougham. Matinée at 1¾

WOOD'S MUSEUM.—DRAMATIC PERFORMANCE AND CURIOSITIES—Afternoon and evening.

NO. 729 BROADWAY.—EMERSON'S CALIFORNIA MINSTRELS—Ben. Cotton, Emerson, Laura and others. Matinee at 2½.

WHITE'S ATHENÆUM.—DRAMA, SONGS, FARCES, &c. Mr. Charles White andcompany.

ST. JAMES THEATRE.—SAN FRANCISCO MINSTRELS—Birch, Wambold, Backus and others. Matinee at 2½.

BRYANT'S MINSTRELS.—ETHIOPIAN MINSTRELSY. Kelly, Leon, Bryant, Seymour, Reed.

CENTRAL PARK GARDEN.—SUMMER NIGHT CONCERT under direction of Theo. Thomas.

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CLEAR GAINS ON PREVIOUS WEEK.

	Daily.	Weekly.
May 25	240	1,900
June 1	720	2,340
June 8	1,920	960
June 15	620	3,000
June 22	——	2,240
June 29	——	480
July 6	1,000	880
July 13	1,900	4,200
July 20	860	2,400
July 27	1,500	2,400
Aug. 3	3,840	15,000
Aug. 10	1,000	8,800
Aug. 17	480	3,500
Aug. 24	1,900	3,900
Aug. 31	——	17,800
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We once more brand the story invented by the Chicago and New-York *Tribunes*, to the effect that Mr. J. RUSSELL JONES gave any land whatever to President GRANT, as a "lie made out of whole cloth"—that being the form of denial most familiar to Mr. GREELEY. The facts will be made clear in a few days. In the meantime, we say that Mr. J. RUSSELL JONES never gave an inch of land, or any other property, to Gen. GRANT, and, if we do not make that statement good, we will put down ten thousand dollars toward our poor children's fund. Will the *Tribune* undertake to subscribe the same sum if it cannot prove its lying statement? Since it is so confident, surely it cannot hesitate to accept this offer. It has been hammering at this same lie, ding-dong, every day for weeks past, and vociferating that it is true. We will prove it to be utterly false or give the Children's Fund ten thousand dollars, provided the *Tribune* will pay over an equal sum if it should fail in substantiating its statements. Now, then, Mr. FENTON's pupil in political and other chicanery, what do you say to that offer? Do you sneak off as usual?

Gen. DIX's letter of acceptance is addressed directly to the main issue in this State. Referring to his nomination, he says: "Should it be ratified by the people, no effort on my part will be spared to aid them in the redress of abuses which dishonor the State, and which will inflict irretrievable disaster on its character and prosperity, unless arrested by timely and efficient remedies." Of the absolute sincerity of this pledge, it is unnecessary to speak. The author's long life of purity and fidelity place it beyond question. Against Gen. DIX, thus simply and unreservedly pledged to reform, there is pitted the Democratic Party. Last year the Executive chosen by that party, and its present allies, defeated reform in the State Legislature. They would do the same this year if they obtained the opportunity. In such a case the duty of all honest men, of whatever party, is perfectly plain.

The *Tribune* appeals, in a left-handed way, for support for KERNAN as Governor, on the ground that he is a "sincere and earnest member of the Roman Catholic Church." In doing this, the *Tribune* makes another display of the bungling stupidity which has characterized it since GREELEY threw up the reins. We are in favor of keeping religious controversies out of this canvass, but the *Tribune* is determined to bring them in. So much the worse for its wretched cause. Let every man enjoy his religious opinions in peace, but do not let us introduce them into politics. When the *Tribune* bawls out to the Democrats, "Vote for KERNAN, because he is an earnest Roman Catholic," it takes hold of a sword with two edges, and is pretty sure to cut its fingers.

According to the Greeley organ, the second place on the State ticket of the hybrid party has been given to "a prominent and honored member of the Republican Party." If we are not mistaken, CHAUNCEY M. DEPEW will shortly be proved to have received from his party a good deal more prominence and honor than he deserved. Judge BARNARD's fall has not yet borne all its fruits. A certain quota of the legal profession has already shared his disgrace, but there are some still remaining whose remarkable "influence" over the Erie Judge was not quite so generally recognized as that of his notorious associates. We understand that the renegade Republican who was nominated for Lieutenant-Governor at Syracuse, performed some remarkable feats of judicial legerdemain through his "influence" with Judge BARNARD. The facts will come out in due course.

The fact ought to be remembered that one of the planks of the platform on which the Syracuse Convention has placed its candidates is a square indorsement of the administration of Gov. HOFFMAN. The fact that HOFFMAN and the Tammany Ring are convertible terms, has been made sufficiently manifest in these columns. It was a piece of very transparent hypocrisy in the managers of the Convention to try to earn a little cheap capital out of the shortcomings of the last Legislature, in the same document which approves of the acts of a man who was in league with the worst elements of that Legislature to defeat every measure of local reform and shield the Ring thieves—in whose power he is—from their appropriate punishment. JOHN T. HOFFMAN stood between HALL and removal, stood between TWEED and a speedy trial, and cheated New-York City out of every installment of local reform which passed the Legislature. The men who indorsed HOFFMAN know of his infamy as Mayor, and of his shameful subserviency to TWEED and SWEENY as Governor, and yet they ask people to believe that they are earnest "Reformers" in the same breath that they give the tool of the Ring a first-class certificate of character!

We are assured by members of the legal profession that a wondrous change has been, for some time, observable in the manners and methods of the people in the office of the Sheriff of this County. BRENNAN and his satellites are making a clumsy attempt to gain a reputation for civility, which, considering the extent of the natural and acquired brutality of their manners, must cost them a prodigious effort. They have not, indeed, foregone the luxury of presenting extortionate bills or exacting illegal fees. But they have exhibited quite a startling readiness to cut down said bills or charges to a slight appearance of reasonable dimensions, when any lawyer is found plucky enough to stand upon his rights. We regret to learn that the proportion of the profession that has displayed courage enough to tax BRENNAN's bills is relatively small. The Bar Association owe it to themselves, and their fellow-citizens to allow nothing to turn them aside from the task of giving their powerful aid toward cleansing out that sink of corruption, which is to be found in the Sheriff's office. If BRENNAN is disposed to fawn a little now, he will bite all the deeper when he gets the chance. He is working and waiting for GREELEY's election to show that the blast of reform has "blown over," and in that case, the lawyers, in common with their clients will certainly find cause to regret that they did not display a little resolution at the right moment.

The burglar policeman who has received his deserts in the shape of a sentence of twenty years in the State Prison, has invented a pleasing term for the crime of breaking into other people's houses. This versatile officer calls his burglarious feats "discrepancies." We commend the epithet to the favorable consideration of the followers of Mr. GREELEY. FENTON, BRENNAN, DOOLITTLE, TWEED & Co. are sadly in want of a few elegant periphrases to varnish their record withal, and the one supplied by Ex-Officer AIKEN comes from a source well fitted to suit their case. It is certainly more compact than the Professor's clumsy and impudent way of characterizing the peccadilloes of DOOLITTLE as "an error of taste and an error of judgment."

A good many loose statements have been made in regard to the prospect of effecting the removal of Judge CURTIS and the professional disqualification of CARDOZO. The facts are simply these: As soon as the Prindle case is disposed of by the Senate, that body will begin an investigation with the view of finding out whether sufficient grounds exist for the removal of Judge CURTIS. It will be remembered that the credit of showing that the Marine Court comes under the category of "Courts of Record," and that its Judges are therefore subject to the action of the Executive and the State Senate, is due to the Committee of the Bar Association, who so ably argued this point before the Governor. As to CARDOZO, he can only be "thrown over the Bar" by the action of the Judges of the General Term, whose first session is in November. The Governor can assign Justices to fill the vacant places in the General Term left by BARNARD and CARDOZO, whether their successors have been found by that time or not.

The Democracy of Indiana seem determined to make Messrs. O'CONOR and ADAMS Presidential candidates in spite of themselves. The disgust with the Baltimore bill of sale must be rather profound out there, when it leads a respectable body of men to talk of putting in the field an electoral ticket for the purpose of registering votes in favor of leaders who won't take command, and of principles that nobody expects to see put into practice.

Plain Words to a Slanderer.

In private life, when a man is notoriously addicted to perverting the truth, and inventing false statements about his neighbors, no one thinks it necessary either to believe him or to contradict his fabrications. Still less is it necessary to enter into a controversy with him. Now this is the position occupied by Mr. GREELEY's temporary successor in the management of the *Tribune*. He is constantly inventing or retailing deliberate slanders against all kinds of men, and we may fairly leave the public to judge whether or not it is necessary to take the trouble to expose his lies every time he produces one. He certainly is not entitled to ask any decent journal to enter into a discussion with him. Not only is he in the habit of ascribing words to other newspapers which they never used, but he also constantly denies his own statements, or asserts that he has taken a course exactly opposite to that which he has really pursued. For instance, he stated yesterday that the *Tribune* had "printed CONATTY's story." This is distinctly false. The *Tribune* entirely suppressed CONATTY's story, and the Doolittle letters. What on earth can be the use of a man telling such a stupid falsehood as this?

Again, he says that "the NEW-YORK TIMES wanted United States troops sent the other day to North Carolina." Another flat falsehood. Absolutely no such recommendation has been made by the TIMES, as our readers must be well aware. The person who can be guilty of such barefaced misrepresentations as these must have molded his character on the hero in FOOTE's play of "The Liar." Had he lived in FOOTE's day, we might have naturally supposed that the playwright had taken him for his model. He does by instinct what young *Wildoats*—if that is FOOTE's hero's name—did for amusement.

Now when this man trumps up scandalous charges against the President, or anybody else, ought he to be believed? Is it requisite to go on day after day clearing up the mess he makes? See what he has done in the way of sheer lying during a few weeks past. He has stated—

1. That Gen. GRANT was presented with a cottage by THOMAS MURPHY.

2. That Gen. GRANT was corruptly interested in the Black Friday gold conspiracy.

3. That Attorney-General BARLOW had entered into a compromise with the Ring thieves.

4. That the President had bought up the New-York *Staats Zeitung*.

5. That Speaker BLAINE is engaged in bribing the voters of Maine, and that Maine will be richer by *"hundreds of thousands of dollars"* for this canvass.

6. That the proprietors of the TIMES had entered into an agreement with CONNOLLY and Judge MCCUNN (!) for the distribution of Federal offices (!!).

7. That an editor of the TIMES had been indicted by the Grand Jury in KILPATRICK's case.

8. That the arrest of LINDSAY was part of a deep and dark conspiracy on the part of the editors of the TIMES.

9. That Gen. BANKS' brother had been removed from the Custom-house by orders of Gen. GRANT.

Now all these statements, (and dozens might be added,) were willful untruths. Is the author of them a man worthy to be believed? Ought not his report about any man to be at once rejected, unless it is sustained by strong corroborative evidence? We put that question to all intelligent citizens in the community. And, perhaps, they will arrive at a speedier conclusion concerning the credibility to be attached to *Tribune* attacks on publicmen, when they remember what GREELEY's successor has said of the following gentlemen during the last month or so:

GERRIT SMITH—A "humbug."

W. LLOYD GARRISON—An "abusive old Radical."

Speaker BLAINE—A "pertinacious young man."

Gen. DIX—A "mercenary old man."

ANDREW D. WHITE—A "tool of the Custom-house."

Judge SETTLE—A "minion of power."

R. H. DANA, Jr.—A "jackdaw."

May not such a reckless libeler as this be safely allowed to go on unanswered?

Gen. Dix and His Calumniators.

The *World* has joined the *Tribune* in the congenial work of defamation. It reproduces the falsehood years ago refuted that Mr. STANTON was the author of Gen. DIX's celebrated dispatch to shoot on the spot any man who should attempt to haul down the American flag. It asserts falsely that the dispatch "was sent, of course, after consideration by the whole Cabinet and by President BUCHANAN; and if any credit is to be given to anybody for sending it, that credit belongs quite as much to the Democratic President, who allowed his Secretary of the Treasury to send it, as to the Secretary, who signed the dispatch."

This whole statement is false. The dispatch was never submitted to the Cabinet for consideration. It was not even known to the President or his Cabinet for several days after it was sent, and was then communicated for information only. It was written by Gen. DIX without consulting with any one, and sent to its destination on his own responsibility precisely as it was written. We shall give, at an early day, the refutation of the falsehood in regard to its authorship.

The *World* asserts that Mr. LINCOLN removed Gen. DIX from the office of Secretary of the Treasury by appointing a Republican successor. This assertion is as unfounded as the others. Gen. DIX resigned the post of Secretary of the Treasury before Mr. BUCHANAN's retirement, and when Mr. LINCOLN entered on the duties of President he found the office vacant. The *World* says Gen. DIX "applied for" "employment as a Major-General." This is equally untrue. The appointment was voluntarily tendered by the Government. It adds that he (Gen. DIX) "made interest with President JOHNSON for a double appointment as Naval Officer in New-York and as Minister to France." They were both tendered voluntarily by the Government, like the appointment of Major-General.

In a former article, in which we refuted the assertion of the *Tribune* that Gen. DIX never refused office, we did not know, what we have since learned, that he was appointed, in 1866, Minister to the Hague. The nomination was sent to the Senate without his knowledge and without consultation with him. It was immediately confirmed, and the commission sent to him; but it was declined. He has great reason, as well as the Republican Party, to be gratified with the attacks of the *Tribune* and its fellow-slanderer, the *World*, for it enables those who are familiar with his public life to show that they are calumnious.

What Maine Can Do.

The Tammanyites are building greatly on Maine. They profess to expect from that State compensation for their mortifying defeat in North Carolina, and for their crush-failure in Vermont. Regarding the election on Monday as, in a sense, the key to the November struggle, they declare that they can possess themselves of that key.

It is for the Republicans of Maine to say whether these defiant boasts can be justified. The only thing on which the Tammany men rely is, not any real defection to GREELEY—but an alienation on account of the Liquor law, which can be claimed as such defection. The only hope of the coalition is in keeping up a show of strength sufficient to attract the place-seekers. If they cannot do that, they are lost. If they can do that, though the show may be ever so deceptive, their purpose is served. We desire to impress distinctly on all Republicans in Maine that, if, from any motive whatever, they allow themselves to be indifferent in this canvass, the effect of their indifference will be to strengthen the Baltimore coalition. The issue presented on Monday is the issue to be presented in November, and voting or not voting, will tell on the November result. We appeal to all sincere men, therefore, who believe that Gen. GRANT, and not Mr. GREELEY, is the safer man for President, and who have a vote in Maine, to cast it without fail for the Republican ticket.

We do not make this appeal from any fear that in any case a decided victory does not await us. We are as sure that it does, as we can be of any political event in the near future. But we desire that the victory shall be not only decided as concerns Maine, but decisive as concerns the whole country. Such a victory can be gained if every Republican will bear his part in the election. Every State election, and all local elections, thus far, show to any reasonable man that the Democrats have lost more than they have gained by the bargain with GREELEY. One after another their pretended supports have been knocked from under them. There is every reason to regard them as at the very crisis of their fortunes, and they do not themselves undertake to conceal the fact. If Maine gives only a fair majority to the Republican ticket on Monday, the sole consequence will be, that hard work through all the States will have to be maintained up to the November election. The national triumph will not be endangered. But if a majority is given which sustains the verdict of North Carolina and Vermont, and shows as plainly as did that verdict that the Republican Party is stronger than ever in the confidence of the country, then the Tammany coalition is dead. This is what the Republicans of the whole nation ask of the Republicans of Maine. To this every Maine Republican has to contribute only his single vote. Surely, that is not too much to ask for so great a result.

"Gran 's" Custom-Houses.

The determined, open-eyed misrepresentation to which certain journals are daily subjecting the President is one of the most striking features of our political life at present—certainly the saddest. For example, the *World* is attacking Gen. GRANT's Administration because of the expenditure upon certain Custom-houses, for the salaries paid to the officers in which it affects to hold him responsible. It parades the salaries paid at the Custom-house at Appalachicola, in Florida, which, all told, amount to the enormous yearly sum of $8,860; also, those of the Custom-house at Alexandria, Va., which are $4,991. Then setting forth, what every tolerably well-informed person knew before, that the commerce at these ports is small, it exclaims that "a greater swindle was never perpetrated" in any country. For this "swindle" it holds the President responsible, and it calls the official persons in these Custom-houses, "GRANT's beef-eaters."

The *World* knows, every man ought to know, that whether the business transacted at the ports in question is little or much, neither Gen. GRANT nor any other President is responsible for the existence of the Custom-houses, the number and the grade of the officers in them, or the salaries they receive. Places are made ports of entry only by act of Congress; Custom-houses are established only by acts of Congress; salaries are paid only in pursuance of like legislation. Nor is Gen. GRANT's Administration or the Republican Party in any way, even indirectly, connected with this expenditure. Alexandria and Appalachicola were ports of entry, by virtue of an act of Congress, before Gen. GRANT was born.

Whether the position of these places justifies the action of Congress in regard to them, might be a question worth discussion, if it had not been already discussed, with the conclusion that the proper protection of the Customs revenue required the appointment of a Collector and the presence of revenue cutters. But it is obvious to even the dullest apprehension that for this whole matter Gen. GRANT is about as responsible as he is for the daily revolution of the earth upon its axis. And yet such accusations are made in the hope that, untrue as they are, they will help to fix the stigma of extravagance on his Administration.

Our Servant Supply.

Some time ago, a scheme was announced, which owed its origin and principal support, we believe, to Mr. ELIHU BURRITT, to establish an agency which should secure to this country, and this City especially, a perennial supply of good domestic servants.

Not long after this idea was broached, Mr. BURRITT paid a visit to this country, and, no doubt, many who heard of his presence fondly hoped that its main object was to put the finishing stroke to the plan which was to secure them henceforth a *ménage* which should rival those of the best ordered houses. From that hour, however, we have heard nothing more of the matter, and we conclude, therefore, that Mr. BURRITT found difficulties in the way which even his energy was unable successfully to encounter.

In another fortnight, Fifth-avenue and Madison-square will be filling again; the great annual servant hunt will recommence with its wonted briskness, and at least half the conversation and thoughts of householders will be upon this most vexatious subject. "Help" after "help" will be tried, and will cost their unfortunate employers dollar upon dollar. And having been patiently weighed and found exasperatingly wanting, they will give place to others not much less incompetent. While we are in this chronic perplexity here, it is trying to take up the London *Times* and read such advertisements as the following:

"Second footman wanted. Wages, £20 and livery. Not under twenty-one years of age. Who understands footman's duties thoroughly."

There is little doubt that the advertiser will presently secure what he wants, as will another advertiser, who seeks a first-rate laundress at from £18 to £20 a year. Now, these people could, by crossing the Atlantic, at a cost of £4, get from three to five times as much, yet scarcely an appreciable number of them care to do so.

Probably the chief drawback to the success of Mr. BURRITT's plan lay in the apprehension prevalent among good servants as to the class with whom they would have to live. In many respects a servant's life abroad, in gentlemen's houses, runs very smoothly. The domestics are all of the same calibre; each does his work well, and there is great division of labor. They are very well fed, and, except when the house is filled with guests, by no means over-worked, and on such occasions the excitement and the "tips" compensate for trouble. A servant, therefore, who, leaving a first-class foreign household, enters one in this country to find his fellow-servants all boobies, is likely to lose greatly in point of comfort, although he will be a great gainer in point of money. But to young married persons, the gain achieved by coming here would far outweigh the drawbacks.

It certainly appears to us that some such machinery as Mr. BURRITT may have contemplated ought to be practicable, more especially if the co-operation of that very large class of ladies who, abroad, devote their time to assisting their humble neighbors, could be enlisted. If these could associate themselves with a few ladies in New-York, with the view of establishing a "home" for the reception of selected female servants on landing, those only being admitted who arrived duly accredited, we cannot but think that much good might result. There are thousands of clergymen's wives in Germany or England at this moment whose life is spent in helping to get girls out to service, who have received some instruction in domestic arts, have been well brought up, are neat in their habits, and would quickly, under a mistress or upper servant, who would bestow a little instruction upon them, prove very valuable.

We rest assured that if any lady would do for this country what Miss RYE has accomplished with so much success for Canada, she would meet with a ready support. That the demand for neat, orderly, servant girls is immeasurably short of the supply, is what nobody disputes. Those who would contend that the supply of good servants seems scarce in England, too, must bear in mind that the article denominated in a fastidious, first-class English house as indifferently good, would here be regarded as "a treasure."

The Duty of Independent Citizens.

Some Republicans, of earnest conviction and of excellent character, have expressed their determination to vote for Mr. GREELEY, "just once," to assist in what they believe to be the wholesome process of breaking up the old parties. So far as that is the expression of revolt against the tyranny of party—a tyranny capable of great and odious oppression, the force and evil effect of which was long ago acutely analyzed and vigorously denounced by the eminent TOCQUEVILLE—it is something with which every sincere and independent citizen must have sympathy. But two questions remain to be asked: Is the means appropriate to the end? and, Is it the best means?

In the first place, Mr. GREELEY personally never has shown, and does not now show, practical sympathy with the sentiment of political independence. He has all his life long been an ardent and unshrinking partisan, approving and adopting the extremest partisan methods of securing a political advantage. He has advocated and demanded the subordination of the civil service to partisan purposes. His first and most emphatic declaration of discontent with the present Administration was frankly based on the neglect of Senator FENTON and his friends—of whom he was one—in the distribution of the Federal offices in this State. His famous dissolution of the firm of SEWARD, WEED & GREELEY was avowedly prompted by a feeling that his political labors had not been rewarded with the preferment he had deserved, and openly declared that he had earned. During the period of the impeachment of ANDREW JOHNSON, he enforced with peculiar bitterness the doctrine that the obligation of Senators to their party was superior to that of their oaths, which required them to act solely as *their* judgment of the evidence required, and he denounced the dead FESSENDEN, as well as his present political friends ROSS and TRUMBULL, as "traitors," for simply differing in opinion from their party.

In the next place, Mr. GREELEY, as a candidate for the Presidency, represents distinctly the very worst kind of political servitude. He is the nominee of the Democratic Party solely by virtue of the most rigorous exercise of the basest forms of partisan discipline. Not one single Democrat of the three millions professedly committed by the National Democratic Convention believes that Mr. GREELEY holds Democratic views, or would, from conviction, seek the ends Democrats have long sought, or would even accept the political companionship of Democrats, if he did not believe it would serve his present purposes to do so. Mr. GREELEY may think that the Democrats have all changed within a twelvemonth, but no sane man besides entertains any such delusion. The Democrats themselves make no such profession, and so plain have they made it that they regard his nomination solely as a matter of gain that the very first question on which their candidate found it necessary to reassure them was his recognition of their right to a proportionate share of the spoils of office in case of success.

On the other hand, we believe that the election of Gen. GRANT would strongly confirm the policy which respects the honest opinions of individuals. Gen. GRANT is himself a conspicuous believer in the right of public opinion to untrammeled expression. He has paid a high tribute to this right, by promptly acquiescing in the decision of the popular will on several important occasions. He has paid a still higher tribute to it by the conscientiousness which he himself has observed, according to the high authority of such witnesses as Ex-Attorney-General HOAR, in the performance of his own duties. Every high official who maintains his own self-respect faithfully, strengthens the self-respect of all citizens.

The Republican Party, of which Gen. GRANT is the candidate, has also shown itself equal to the work of ascertaining and conforming to the best expositions of popular opinion. Its course since the close of JOHNSON's Administration has afforded many instances of this capacity. At the last session of Congress it turned aside from the counsels of mere politicians, to accept the intelligent criticism of independent minds, which guided rather than interpreted the average opinion of the hour. It showed itself, on the two great questions of amnesty and revenue reform, plainly sensitive to the influence of the best minds of the country, and fairly free from the temptation, in its strength, to ignore or repel their intercession. For the above reasons, and others kindred to them, which we need not now recite, we believe the independent citizen will have a better chance to make his honest convictions felt under Gen. GRANT and the Republican Party than under Mr. GREELEY and the Democracy.

MINOR TOPICS.

The Centennial Commissioners have so far been considerably embarrassed through a failure on the part of Congress to make an appropriation for immediate expenses. The bill provides for the issue of $10,000,000 of stock in shares of $10 each. The Board of Finance has just perfected a plan for an equal division of the shares in the several States and Territories of the Union, by which it appears that New-York is to have the honor of subscribing $1,136,660, while Pennsylvania gets $913,410; Ohio, $691,230; Illinois, $658,710; Missouri, $446,410; Indiana, $435,870; Massachusetts, $377,960; Kentucky, $342,600; Tennessee, $326,390; Virginia, $317,740; Iowa, $309,870; Georgia, $307,100; Michigan, $307,080; North Carolina, $277,850; Wisconsin, $273,530; Alabama, $258,540; New-Jersey, $234,990; Mississippi, $214,720; Texas, $202,300; Maryland, $202,520; Louisiana, $188,520; South Carolina, $183,000; Maine, $162,580; California, $145,300; Connecticut, $139,390; Arkansas, $125,650; West Virginia, $114,640; Minnesota, $114,040; Kansas, $94,500; Vermont, $85,730; New-Hampshire, $82,550; Rhode Island, $56,370; Florida, $48,690; District of Columbia, $34,170; Delaware, $32,420; Nebraska, $31,900; New-Mexico, $23,830; Oregon, $23,590; Utah, $22,510; Nevada, $11,020; Colorado, $10,340; Washington, $6,210; Montana, $5,340; Idaho, $3,890; Dakota, $3,630; Arizona, $2,500; Wyoming, $2,360. The Commissioner and alternate Commissioner of each State and Territory are to have charge of the subscriptions until the entire amount has been made up. According to the rules which have been agreed to, it appears that one hundred clear days are to be allowed for the sale of shares. At the end of that time the books will have to be forwarded to Philadelphia. The Commissioners expect that the applications for stock will greatly exceed the sum required, and it is to be hoped they may not be disappointed.

In the testimony taken in regard to the *Metis* disaster, there is one remarkable discrepancy. One of the witnesses swears to having seen a green light where a red light should have been, while others give evidence of a precisely opposite character. This difference can easily be explained by the supposition that one of the witnesses was afflicted with a mild form of color-blindness, which is exceedingly common, and which consists in an inability to perceive any difference between red and green. The fact that a very large number of persons are afflicted in this way ought to have suggested to those who framed the law which requires vessels to carry a red light on one bow and a green light on the other, to substitute some other color in the place of one of these. A red light and a blue light, or a green light and a blue one, could be easily distinguished by men who can see no difference in red and green; and had both the *Metis* and the *Nettie Cushing* carried a blue light on one bow, it is quite possible that the collision would never have taken place.

The editor of the *World* has written a letter asserting that he is neither dead nor dying. This letter, which is addressed to the editor's "Dear CHAMBERLAIN," thereby suggesting the peculiarly appropriate line, wherein HOOD asserts of Eugene Aram, that

"Guilt was the grim chamberlain that lighted him to bed,"

is introduced by an explanatory paragraph which frankly says that the editor's letter must be "easily credited to abundant beefsteaks." If unaccustomed indulgence in beefsteak really has this sort of effect upon the *World* people they had better return at once to simpler fare. It is absolutely weakening to the mind to be told that an "*ex post facto* thanatopsis has entangling charms;" yet this is what a *World* editor is capable of saying under the stimulus of beefsteak. It is natural that he should object to being "inurned in a threnody of HURLBERT on Greek," since "Hurlbert Greek" is conceded to be an unknown tongue; but there is no reason why he should abuse QUINCTILIUS, and charge that respectable Roman with having broken "from the dusky throng shepherded by the wand dread and golden." If QUINCTILIUS was at one time a negro minstrel, and has since as the *World* man intimates, abandoned that profession, he need not, therefore, be held up to scorn. There is comfort, however, for the readers of the *World* in this remarkable letter, for the writer, instead of promising to return to his post and write leading articles on "Hurlbert Greek," announces that he is going to visit a man who has "resisted transition into the void." This looks very much like a quest for the fountain of perpetual youth, and if the *World* editor really has gone on such an expedition, it will doubtless occupy him during the rest of his natural life.

By way, no doubt, of keeping up its old character of managing to get on the wrong side under the erroneous belief it is to be the winning one, the *Herald* has been hot for GREELEY. Yet, whatever may be done with other parts of that paper, it does not do to feed the readers of its money article uninterruptedly with "gammon and spinach," for there, at least, facts must sometimes be recognized. Hence we find yesterday in that article this very candid statement:

"It may be difficult to explain why gold should grow firmer with the increase of Mr. GREELEY's chances for the Presidency, considering the specie-paying proclivities, professions and intentions of that gentleman; but the fact stands that ever since the Presidential nominations were made gold has been alternately weak and strong with the varying prospects of success and defeat of Mr. GREELEY."

True as gospel, every word of it, and the writer might have added that stocks have shown like indications; that is, that they have weakened as GREELEY's chances seemed to improve, and strengthened as those chances have declined. Of course, a tight or easy money market will have a certain effect in any case, apart from political considerations, but there is not a shadow of doubt that the substantial business interests of the country would suffer enormously by GREELEY's election, and that the barometers of Wall-street constantly indicate the general belief to that effect. When even the *Herald*, thus blurts out the truth, the *Tribune* should be chary of assailing private gentlemen, bankers and others, for daring to assert what the common sense of nearly the whole business community has long seen and acknowledged.

GEN. DIX'S ACCEPTANCE.

The following correspondence between Hon. William A. Wheeler, President of the Republican State Convention, and Gen. John A. Dix, has been given to the public:

MALONE, AUG. 24, 1872.

MY DEAR SIR: I perform a most agreeable duty in advising you of your nomination as a candidate for Governor by the Republican State Convention, held at Utica on the 21st inst. The act was by acclamation, and in a spirit which nothing but a life-long record of patriotic, faithful and efficient discharge of duty in public and private stations could have inspired. The Convention but gave voice to the wishes of all men in the State, without regard to party, who desire a thorough reform and honest administration of our State affairs, and a firm adhesion to the great principles settled by the war, in which settlement you bore conspicuous and honorable part.

In the firm conviction that the action of the Convention will be ratified by the people in November, I am, with sincere respect,

Yours truly,
W. A. WHEELER,
President, &c.

The Hon. JOHN A. DIX.

REPLY.

SEAFIELD, WEST HAMPTON, L. I., Sept. 2, 1872.

MY DEAR SIR: Your favor of the 24th inst., advising me of my nomination as a candidate for Governor by the Republican Convention, held at Utica on the 21st ult., was duly received. I am very thankful to the Convention for thus distinguishing me when the names of so many gentlemen of high character were presented to it for the same office, and especially for the unanimity with which the nomination was tendered. You are aware that it was not only unsought for by me, but distinctly declined; not because I do not appreciate fully the honor even of being named for the Chief Magistracy of New-York, but for reasons purely personal. If the Convention deemed it of so much importance, in the existing condition of things in the State and the Union, as to make the nomination in opposition to my expressed wishes, I am sure the members must have been actuated by public considerations too strong to be disregarded on my part. I therefore waive all objections, and accept it. Should it be ratified by the people, no effort on my part will be spared to aid them in the redress of abuses which dishonor the State, and which will inflict irretrievable injury on its character and prosperity unless arrested by timely and efficient remedies.

For the kind and complimentary manner in which you have communicated to me the action of the Convention, I beg you to accept my thanks, and to assure you of the sincere respect with which I am very truly yours,

JOHN A. DIX.

Hon. W. A. WHEELER, President of the Convention.

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

Preparing to Announce the Verdict at Geneva.

Arrival of the Emperor of Austria in the Prussian Capital.

Another Rise in Coal in England---Miners Ready to Strike.

The Reported Egyptian Invasion of Abyssynia Denied.

THE ALABAMA CLAIMS.

Close of the Deliberations of the Tribunal—The Invitation of the Swiss Federal Council Accepted by the Members.

GENEVA, Sept. 6.—The Board of Arbitration met at noon today, and remained in session until 3½ o'clock, concluding finally all business requiring deliberation. The Court adjourned till Monday, to give time for the final drafting, revising and translating of the official copies of the judgment rendered.

The Arbitrators have accepted the invitation of the Swiss Federal Council to a State dinner at Berne on Thursday next in celebration of the happy issue of their deliberations. They will return to Geneva on Saturday, the 14th inst., when their official signatures will be affixed to the documents and the respective Governments apprised of the results of the arbitration, in accordance with the terms of the treaty.

General satisfaction is expressed at the speedy and satisfactory result of the labors of the Arbitration.

A number of persons connected with the Court have already left Geneva.

A French Report of the Decision—Thirty Millions Awarded to the United States.

LONDON, Sept. 6.—The Paris papers of today publish a rumor from an unknown source, that the Geneva Tribunal has awarded the United States damages to the amount of $30,000,000, with interest for nine years at seven per cent per annum. No credit is given to the report.

GERMANY.

The Emperors in Berlin—Arrival of Francis Joseph—Enthusiastic Welcome by the People.

BERLIN, Sept. 6.—Prince Bismarck had a long interview with the Emperor Alexander, yesterday. Prince Gortschakoff was present.

The Emperor Francis Joseph, of Austria, arrived this evening from Dresden, and was received at the railway station by the Emperor William, with precisely the same ceremonies and attentions which were accorded to the Czar. As the two German Emperors rode side by side through the streets, the cheering was incessant, and the popular enthusiasm was even greater than that displayed yesterday.

GREAT BRITAIN.

Further Advance in Coal—Miners Preparing for a Strike.

LONDON, Sept. 6.—There has been a further advance in the prices of English coal. Twenty thousand miners of the Midland coalmines are preparing to strike for an increase of wages.

Powder-Mill Explosion—Four Men Killed—Rinderpest Among Cattle in Yorkshire.

LONDON, Sept. 6.—An explosion occurred in the powder-mills at Hounslow, Middlese County, this morning, causing the instant death of four persons. Several others were injured. The mills and adjacent building were shaken by the force of the explosion, but were not seriously damaged.

The rinderpest has appeared among the cattle at several places in Yorkshire. Precautions have been taken to prevent the spreading of the disease.

FRANCE.

Confirmation of the Reported Assassination of Frenchmen in Paraguay.

PARIS, Sept. 6.—The reports received by the Government of the assassination of its agent and other French citizens in Paraguay are fully confirmed.

SPAIN.

The Idea of Parting with Cuba Repudiated Again.

MADRID, Sept. 6.—The *Igualidad*, replying to the suggestions of English journals, indignantly repudiates the idea that Spain will part with the island of Cuba on any consideration.

EGYPT.

No Invasion of Abyssinia—Troops on the Frontier for Defense.

CAIRO, Sept. 6.—No Egyptian force has entered Abyssinian territory, as has been asserted. Troops were stationed on the frontier some time ago to prevent incursions by the Abyssinians, but they have orders not to cross it. Owing to the threatening attitude of Prince Kassi, the frontier army has been reinforced with 4,000 men.

THE WEATHER.

Synopsis and Probabilities.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 7—A. M.—The pressure has increased over the Southern States, where it is highest; an area of low barometer has moved eastward to and now extends from Northern Missouri to probably Upper Michigan. Clear weather is now generally prevailing at the stations east of the Rocky Mountains. The temperature has risen somewhat over the Middle and New-England States.

PROBABILITIES.

Clear weather for the Southern States, with light to fresh southerly winds; southerly to south-westerly winds and generally clear weather for the New-England and Middle States, with rising temperature; southerly and south-westerly winds and generally clear weather during the day from Southern Illinois to Ohio and Southern Michigan; rising barometer, northerly to westerly winds, and clear and cooler weather prevail by morning from Northern Missouri to Wisconsin and westward, and extend over Illinois and Michigan by and during the evening.

The Independence, Ohio, Railroad Disaster.

MANSFIELD, Ohio, Sept. 4.—But few additional particulars of the railroad disaster at Independence have come to hand, and it is difficult to get any reliable information. The list of killed and wounded telegraphed last night is substantially correct. In addition to the names of the killed already reported is that of Eddie White, of Independence. There are two others killed whose names have not been ascertained. The total of fatalities is seven. Two or three of the seriously wounded will die. The whole number of wounded, according to statements of the surgeons in attendance, will reach forty-five.

Horse-Stealing Along the Hudson.

POUGHKEEPSIE, N. Y., Sept. 6.—Two more horses were stolen last night, one at Hudson and the other here. A third one was captured at Newark, N. J., today. It was in the possession of Alderman Malone, of the Seventh Ward in that city, and was found by Officer shields, of Poughkeepsie. Mr. Malone says that he purchased it of Mahar, a horse-thief now in jail in this city. Horse-stealing is still going on in every Hudson River county.

The Victory in Rutland County, Vt.

Under the circumstances, the victory of the sturdy and unflinching Republicans of Rutland County, Vt., is especially gratifying. Of the contest in the City of Rutland, the *Herald* of that place thus speaks: "It has been a hot and determined contest on both sides. It must be remembered that this was the birth-place of the Liberal Republican Party, in Vermont, and that here their head-quarters were established for the campaign: that several who had been, heretofore, prominent in our ranks, and had received offices of honor and trust, were among the first to desert. The Democracy united, heart and soul, with the Liberals, and to them every town and county nomination was given, with one solitary exception. Thus united, they had no doubt of their ability to carry the town—they were absolutely sure of it. Monday night they held one of the largest caucuses ever held in Rutland, and placed in nomination for Town Representative their strongest man. Under such circumstances more or less defection from our ranks was to be expected. How much it was could not be estimated. Under these depressing circumstances we have elected Z. V. K. Willson Town Representative by a majority of 83 in a poll of 1,371 votes, and have given a majority of 134 for the State ticket, in a poll of 1,406 votes."

WILSON AT HOME.

Enthusiastic Reception of the Distinguished Senator at Natick, Mass.—He Again Replies to His Persistent Defamers.

Special Dispatch to the New-York Times.

NATICK, Mass., Sept. 6.—Hon. Henry Wilson addressed a crowded audience of his fellow-townsmen to-night on his return from Maine. There were delegations from Cochituate and Wayland with bands present, and the enthusiasm was immense. He began by referring to his tour through Maine and New-Hampshire, predicted a grand victory in the former State, where there were but 500 Liberal Republicans, and reviewed the general political situation of the present Administration. He spoke in the most enthusiastic terms of Gen. Grant, and defended him from the attacks made on him. The President he claimed was not the only man that was misrepresented. He wished to say a word in regard to himself. He had received such support from his neighbors as but few public men had ever received. He had never promised a man an office for support. No man had ever asked for an office of him in advance, and no one had claimed it after a vote. "I want to say this to you gentlemen," he continued, "you know my life, you know what I have said to you, for I have spoken to you perhaps too much, and I appeal to any man here if he ever heard me utter a word, or ever read a line that he knew I wrote, that did not recognize the perfect liberty and absolute equality of all men the wide world over. [Applause.] I am charged with avowing the doctrines in a speech which is now being circulated over the country and which they claim that I made." The General read the last part of it referring to the degraded condition of foreigners, and hoping they would never vote for him, and continued: "I never did reject a vote, and I am one of those men who believes in getting all the votes he can, and of asking no questions. When I first saw this paper I wrote a note, which was telegraphed all over the country, that this was a forgery, a cruel and a wicked lie, and I never thought or wrote or spoke a single line that is in it. But the same papers have published that speech week after week, knowing that I denied it, and not having the slightest evidence that I wrote it. That speech in 1856 was charged on John M. Wilson, of Indiana, who denied that he had ever made it. Four years ago it was put on Schuyler Colfax and kept on him during the campaign, but Mr. Colfax writes me that he never lost a vote on account of it, and he predicted, when he was elected, that it would be used on some other candidate. I have no doubt that after it has been used in this canvass, it will be brought up and used on somebody else. Now the New-York *Tribune*, which denounced it as a forgery in 1856, says I wanted to deny I had any association with the Native American Party. Well, good God! I never thought of denying that. My denial referred to that speech only. Mr. Albert Pike, a Massachusetts man, has now come out and says he met me in the Convention of the American Party in 1854. If you want to find a man that can do a mean thing always find a Yankee. He can do a meaner thing than any one else." After referring to the record of Mr. Pike during and after the war, he alluded at length to the Know-nothing Party, and said the anti-slavery men were in it on behalf of the rights of the negro, and the representatives of the white men against narrow and illiberal legislation, there are not less than five hundred thousand men who acted with that party that are supporting Greeley, and there are not less than three hundred thousand supporting Gen. Grant. He repeated the story of his connection with the Native American Party, and admitted that he had opposed the extension of the naturalization laws. Mr. Wilson declared himself in favor of the rights of women, and said he would not attempt to answer all the charges against him. He appealed to his friends and neighbors to stand by him in the present contest. The meeting was a great success and an honor to Mr. Wilson.

BY MAIL AND TELEGRAPH.

Fogarty, who was shot by Conway, in Albany, N. Y., is likely to recover.

Pay-master Daniel A. Smith, from the Pensacola Navy-yard, ordered to settle his accounts.

The practice-ship Constellation, left Newport, R. I., on the 5th inst., for Chesapeake Bay.

Commodore Balch if detached from the Washington Navy-yard, and placed on waiting orders.

Assistant Pay-master Bartlett, from the Boston Navy-yard, is ordered to the Pawnee at Pensacola.

Past Assistant Pay-master Wm. J. Thompson, from the Pawnee, is ordered to duty at the Pensacola Navy-yard.

The First National Bank of Alliance, Ohio, was authorized to commence business with a capital of $200,000, yesterday.

The United States steamer Kansas arrived at Halifax, N. S., on the 5th, fifteen days from Key West. All well on board.

Capt. Franklin, from the naval station at New-London, is ordered to the Washington Navy-yard as executive officer.

Judge Hogeboom is so ill that it is doubtful whether he will be able to hold the adjourned term of the Supreme Court on the 16th inst.

The German brig Wanderer, from San Francisco for Nicolaefski, has been wrecked on Levinski Island, and is a total loss. The crew were saved.

The State Senate will meet at the Capitol next Tuesday, to render a decision in the case of Judge Prindle, and try Judge Curtis, of the Marine Court, of New-York.

The bids for the construction of life-saving stations on the Massachusetts coast, and for Block Island and Cape Cod coasts, will be opened at the Revenue Marine Bureau.

The balances in the Treasury of the United States at the close of business on Thursday were: Currency, $9,431,063; coin, $72,743,444, including $29,009,800 in coin certificates.

There was a heavy frost in some portions of Bangor, Me., on Tuesday and Wednesday nights. In the town of Plymouth, Me., the corn was killed, and the farmers are cutting it up for fodder.

The New-England Fair, at Lowell, Mass., closed yesterday, having proved a success in every way. The receipts at the ground on Thursday were $15,000, not including the tickets sold by railroads.

A butcher named R. Eckert, on Grove-street, Milwaukee, Wis., split his wife's head open with an ax yesterday forenoon. The citizens were about to lynch him, when the police interfered and arrested the man.

C. F. Differbacher, Circuit Clerk of Cass County, Illinois, and Edward Millsted, quarrelled at the Virginia (Ill.) Fair Ground, yesterday, and Millsted knocked Differbacher down, when the latter shot his assailant in the abdomen, inflicting a mortal wound.

A Sheriff's posse in pursuit of the three highwaymen who robbed the Schell Creek stage, near Humboldt Wells, Nevada, overtook them, near Goose Creek. A desperate fight ensued, both parties being armed. The Sheriff's party had three horses killed, and were compelled to retreat.

Voting on the New-York and Boston Line.

To the Editor of the New-York Times:

As an indication of public feeling regarding the two candidates for the Presidency, I would like to state the result of a vote taken on a long train of cars of the New-York and Boston line, on which I was a passenger to this City on Tuesday last, which was as follows: "On the fence," 37; for Greeley, 53; for Grant, 92. REPUBLICAN.

Greeley Delegates and Grant Voters.

To the Editor of the New-York Times:

I came up today on the train crowded with delegates from the Syracuse Convention, Slocum, Morrissey, Squier, of *Frank Leslie's*, and others. Some fellow took a vote on the train near Utica, and what do you suppose was the result? Grant, 150; Greeley, 148, viz.:

	Grant.	Greeley.		Grant.	Greeley.
First car	20	24	Sixth car	13	9
Second car	16	19	Seventh car	23	9
Third car	12	31	Eighth car	7	16
Fourth car	21	7	Ninth car	12	12
Fifth car	26	7			
Total				150	142

The delegates were on the cars at the front and rear of the train. On the other cars the vote stood 88 Grant to 30 Greeley, and the paper boy tells me that a vote is frequently taken and this is almost the way the count usually stands, 30 odd for Greeley to 90 odd for Grant. The Greeley men were greatly chagrined at the result, and swore the count was not a fair one, but I followed it enough to be sure that it was.

GEN. DIX'S FAMOUS TELEGRAM.

"If Any One Attempts to Haul Down the American Flag, Shoot Him on the Spot."

From the Washington Star, Sept. 5.

In the Winter of 1860, on account of the secession sentiment manifested in the Southern States, and owing to the great difficulty of procuring accurate and reliable information from that quarter through the regular channels, it was deemed necessary by the Government to send into the disaffected territory a trusty secret agent, whose duty it should be to observe and report to the Secretary of the Treasury the state of the feeling there, and to take such action as he could looking to the safety of the public property. For this delicate and responsible task Col. William Hemphill Jones, then as now Chief Clerk of the First Controller's office, was selected. Col. Jones left this city about the middle of December, and spent some time in Tennessee, Alabama, Mississippi, and Louisiana, before reaching New-Orleans, his final point of destination. He made regular report of his observations both on the way and at New-Orleans, but as all mail matter going to the Government or to persons in the North supposed to be unfriendly to the Southern cause was sure to be opened by the rebel authorities, Mr. Jones' correspondence was not sent directly to the Treasury Department. It was addressed to a fictitious personage at Baltimore, to be called for at the Post-office. From there it was brought to this city by the hands of a confidential messenger, and delivered to Gilbert Redman, Esq., then Chief Clerk of the Treasury Department, now deceased.

During his stay in New-Orleans, Col. Jones had occasion to report treasonable action on the part of Capt. Breshwood, of the revenue marine service, at that time commanding the fine cutter Lewis Cass, then lying in that port. It was in answer to this report of Col. Jones that the now celebrated dispatch was written. It was in the following words:

[Telegram.]
TREASURY DEPARTMENT, }
January 29, 1861. }

William Hemphill Jones, New-Orleans:

Tell Lieut. Caldwell to arrest Capt. Breshwood, assume command of the cutter, and obey the order I gave through you. If Capt. Breshwood, after arrest, undertakes to interfere with the command of the cutter, tell Lieut. Caldwell to consider him as a mutineer, and treat him accordingly. If any one attempts to haul down the American flag, shoot him on the spot.

JOHN A. DIX,
Secretary of the Treasury.

Charge Treasury Department.
JOHN A. DIX, Secretary of the Treasury.

Mr. Stanton had nothing whatever to do with writing or sending the dispatch. The letter-press copy of the telegram originally sent, now on file in the Treasury Department, and which we have more than once seen, shows the body to have been written by Mr. William Hamdy, an old and trusted clerk in the Treasury Department, who died in this city during the last month. Mr. Handy was then at the head of the revenue marine branch of the Secretary's office, and the special matter in question came under his charge in the natural order of things. The text of the telegram in his neat, plain chirography, although it was evidently written at the dictation of Gen. Dix, or copied from the draft made by him, now in possession of Hon. Gen. John A. Dix, of New-York, and the signature in each place is the bold, dashing autograph of the distinguished General. The subject was disposed of in the usual manner and in the regular course, and both the matter and the language of the order were beyond any question the inspiration of Gen. DIX's own patriotic spirit, without any outside aid or suggestions.

This is, in brief, the whole history of the telegram and of the causes which led to its preparation and transmission. It should be added, however, as a matter of fact, that the dispatch did not reach the hands of Col. Jones, as intended. It was intercepted by the rebel authorities at Montgomery. A copy of it was sent by them to the Governor of Louisiana, and by him it was transmitted to the Mayor of New-Orleans, with instructions or a request to arrest the proposed recreant. This made the Crescent City too hot for the prospering Colonel, who thenceforth found it necessary to secrete himself while there, and he shortly after succeeded in making his escape from the city in such a manner as to mislead and elude the vigilance of those who were lying in wait for him on the route it was thought he would travel on his way northward.

After the capture of New-Orleans the rebel copy of the historic telegram was found among the archives which fell into the hands of the Union forces, and it was subsequently sent to Col. Jones by a member of Gen. Butler's staff. We need hardly add that it is treasured by Col Jones as a souvenir of the most interesting and exciting episode of his life.

SOMETHING EXTRAORDINARY.

Reported Discovery of a Cave in Tennessee Containing Ice that Never Melts.

A letter from Linden, in Perry County, Tenn., to a Waynesboro paper, in the same State, gives the following curious statements respecting the alleged discovery of a cave in Perry County, containing some most remarkable stone formations which would be of incalculable value were it no so late in the season, and cold weather imminent:

"Some ten days since, T. M. Brasher, Esq., our late representative from this county; Major J. L. Webb, our excellent Sheriff, and J. P. Wilson, our efficient tax-collector, were together at Major Webb's, and for recreation took a walk in and around his farm, when coming to the hills on the south of Major Webb's place, they approached the mouth of a cave in the side of the hill, from which in wet weather a stream of water usually flowed. Feeling very warm, they concluded to enter the cave to cool off a little, and upon entering were surprised at the unusual coldness that pervaded the cavern. Thinking there must be something in the dark recesses of the cavern to produce such unusual coldness in the atmosphere, they concluded to penetrate still further to see if they could not clear up the mystery. Procuring lights, they entered the cave, and after proceeding some seventy-five feet, upon turning the corner of a huge ledge, to their astonishment, the whole interior of the cave festooned with the most beautiful stalagmites the eye of man ever beheld. Holding up their lights, they gazed upon the beautiful sight with pleased astonishment, and upon a nearer approach they found the stalagmites to resemble the hardest, clearest ice and cold as the touch of the ice-king himself. Becoming by this time chilled through with the coldness of the place, each of the gentlemen broke off a lump of this strange wonder, and started to return. Before reaching the mouth of the cavern, their hands were so chilled they could scarcely hold the strange substance, and upon reaching the outer air they laid it down upon the ground, thinking it would soon acquire the temperature of the atmosphere. After resting fifteen or twenty minutes, they started for Mr. Webb's residence, each carrying, as best he might, his lump of rock ice, for I know of no other name by which to call it. Arriving at the house, they placed the crystals on a table and waited patiently to see if it would melt, or even turn warmer. After waiting some half hour and finding that it still retained its former coldness, one of the party suggested that they should try it in a pitcher of water. This was done, and to their infinite astonishment the glass pitcher in which it was placed was soon covered on the outside with moisture similar to that produced by ice. Not being yet satisfied, they concluded to drink of its contents, and the question now was as to who should give the first trial. Mr. Wilson at length said as he was the youngest, and consequently the stoutest, he would try it, and he thereupon drank a hearty draught, and declared it equal to the best ice-water. The other two gentlemen also drank of the water, and Mr. Brashear assured the writer of this that it was equal to the best ice-water. At dinner they tried it in milk, and it soon made Mrs. Webb's excellent buttermilk as cold almost as ice itself. It produced the same effect upon butter as ice, and still retained its original frigidity. A number of persons have since visited this wonderful cave and carried off portions of this rock, which they are using for all the purposes of ice, and it sustains no diminution in bulk or loss of coldness. Strange and improbable as all this may seem, yet it can be certified to by numbers of our best citizens. Dr. Black is using it in his practice. Mr. Thomas French and Col. Waggoner, hotel keepers in Linden, used it in their hotels during Court week, to the astonishment of their guests. Specimens will be sent to our State Geologist for analyzation. If any one doubts the above plain statement of simple facts, they are referred to Hon. T. M. Brashear, Hon. G. H. Nixon, Jonn A. Pitts, Esq., Major John L. Webb, Jo. Wilson, Thomas French, Capt. Easley, Professor in the Academy, and a number of others of the most reliable men in our county."

Amusements—The Season of Opera.

The sale of seats for the season of Italian opera to be commenced on Sept. 30, will open on the 17th inst. We understand that a very few boxes only are at the disposal or belated subscribers.

Receptions to Signor Mario.

The Lotos Club last evening tendered a reception to Signor Mario, on the occasion of his return to the United States. Signor Mario arrived at 10½ o'clock, and after being introduced to the members of the Club was welcomed in a brief speech by the President. The remainder of the night was occupied with toasts, congratulations, and musical performances, capital piano playing being supplied by Señor Ramon Vilanova and Signor Rizzo, and Messrs. W. J. Hill and L. G. Gottschalk contributing songs. The club-house, which has been enlarged and greatly adorned during the Summer, was crowded. On Monday evening the Italian Club, of this City, will tender a similar reception to Signor Mario.

The United States Steamer Wyoming—Yellow Fever on Board.

BOSTON, Mass., Sept. 6.—A letter received here today states that the United States steamer Wyoming, from Aspinwall, had arrived at Key West, and would leave on the 29th ult. for New-Bedford direct, in consequence of serious sickness on board. When she left Aspinwall there were eighty cases of fever among the men and one man died on the passage to Key West. There were very few on board that had not experienced a touch of the fever.

A MAN'S SELF-SACRIFICE.

He Resigns His Wife to Another Man After an Absence of Fifteen Years.

From the Toledo (Ohio) Blade, Sept. 3.

A remarkable incident of generous self-sacrifice has just been narrated to us by an old resident in the southern part of this county, and we publish it here, giving the facts as nearly as they can be reproduced from memoranda taken at the time. The narrator, having received the money of the unfortunate gentleman in trust for the children of his wife, was one of the few who was even aware of the circumstances as they really were, and the recent death of the lady in question has removed the seal which has hitherto prevented the publication of the story.

Nearly eighteen years ago, a young man named P—— purchased a small farm in the location alluded to, and married the daughter of a neighboring farmer. They had one child, and for several years, in the eventful round of daily duties, lived a life of happiness. But, unfortunately for himself and family, the spirit of gain took possession of his soul, and he gradually became possessed of an inordinate craving for wealth. He became dissatisfied with the small but steady profits accumulating from his farm, and began to indulge in speculations of various kinds, in which at first he proved quite successful. On one occasion his business took him to Philadelphia, and he went with quite a large sum of money in his possession, which he had borrowed to aid him in prosecuting the speculations in which he was engaged. He was to return in three weeks, but that elapsed, and he did not make his appearance. The three weeks lengthened into four, then five; months elapsed, and still no news of him reached his afflicted family. A year passed by, and as no tidings came, he was given up for dead. His creditors, who had from time to time deferred the presentation of their claims, till something more definite could be learned, now pressed in, the little home was sold, and the forlorn woman with her infant son was turned out upon the world. Though no word came to this more than widow, she could not relinquish all hope. Many offers of marriage were made to her, but she refused them all, still firmly believing that her husband would return. In vain it was urged that the large sums of money in his possession had tempted the ruffians that infest the large cities, and that he had in all probability been murdered; in vain her friends reiterated that if living he would certainly have communicated with her in some manner. His well-known integrity rendered it improbable that he had absconded simply for the money in his possession, and all save his wife believed that he had been foully dealt with.

After the lapse of nine years, which rolled their weary weight over her head without bringing any tidings of the missing man, a very wealthy gentleman in the vicinity offered her his hand. Her parents and friends urged her to accept it, if only for the sake of her fatherless child, and finally she gave a reluctant consent, and was married.

One Winter's night nearly six years after the marriage, the family were seated about the fire, when the eldest boy was sent into the yard for wood. He came in evidently much excited, and said that he had seen a strange man looking about the house. The father made an effort to quiet him, but paid no further attention to the matter, supposing it was merely a boyish fright. The next morning, however, strange rumors were current in the neighborhood. One man had been stopped the day previous by a stranger, who asked if Mrs. P—— was still living in that locality. In reply to his question the stranger was informed of Mrs. P——'s marriage and her present residence. The stranger had at once started in that direction, and this informant, though it was then almost dark, fully believed it to be P—— himself, though it had then been fifteen years since he had been seen in that vicinity. His former wife was greatly agitated when this story was told her, but her husband, though troubled, tried to satisfy himself that his neighbor was mistaken.

Three years more rolled by and nothing was heard of P——, till on one dismal April morning his former wife received a telegram, brought by special messenger from the nearest station, urging her to come at once to Newcastle, Penn., as she would see her youthful husband alive. Greatly shocked and startled by this message from one who seemed to her to be long dead, she and her second husband started at once. They found P— without difficulty, but stretched upon a bed of sickness and sadly wasted by the gnawings of disease.

In a feeble and broken voice, and little by little as his strength would permit him, he told them his story. On arriving at Philadelphia he had found that his most promising enterprise was a failure, and all that he had was lost. An offer to join a company just fitting out a ship for the West Indies, came opportunely as he thought, and, in the hope of retrieving his fortunes, he embarked in the project what little money he had in his possession, and went out to recover his loss. He had written to his wife before sailing, but the letter never reached its destination. The adventure proved disastrous, the vessel was wrecked on one of the islands, and our adventurer barely escaped with his life.

At this stage he determined not to return home till he had accumulated a fortune, and half-crazed with his afflictions, shipped as a common sailor to England. From that country he went to Brazil, and in the course of his succeeding wanderings visited nearly every country on the face of the globe, and at the end of fifteen years he had accumulated a reasonable competence, and had determined to return home. He had resolved never to make himself known to his wife if he could discover that she was well cared for. He found that his wife had long mourned him as dead, but that she had formed new ties and attachments, which he firmly resolved never to break. Severe and painful as was the sacrifice, he could turn himself away without a last look upon the face of her whom he had loved so long. He had inquired about the house on the night of his return, as affirmed by his own son, and having gained his object he departed never to return. Broken-hearted he had sought a home in Newcastle under an assumed name, and here he had lived till convinced that he had not long to live, he sent for his wife that he might make his peace with her before he died. The next day he died peacefully in the arms of his long lost wife. By his will his entire property was divided among his children.

A Common Scold.

A woman was complained of in Dunkirk, Chautauqua County, on Monday last, as a common scold, and was arrested, convicted, and compelled to pay a fine of $10. The *Journal* states that the evidence against the prisoner was conclusive, five or six of her nearest neighbors having testified that she was the very worst kind of a common scold. In fact, if the Police Justice had any doubts at all on the question they were satisfied when she began to tell her side of the story, for she poured forth a torrent of words, and not the choicest kind, either.

A Nevada Verdict.

Two men had a little difficulty in Nevada recently, in which Thomas Dowling, the man who got the worst of it, was stabbed with a bowie-knife twenty-four times. His assailant, one William Twomey, was arrested on the charge of assault with intent to murder. The trial lasted four days. On the evening of the fourth day the case was given to the jury at 8¾ o'clock, and they came into Court at 11½ o'clock with a verdict of guilty of manslaughter and battery. The jury on the first ballot stood nine for conviction and three for acquittal, and the verdict was a compromise.

Correction of False Representations.

Dr. Hasbrouck, now at No. 956 Broadway, corner of Twenty-third-street, was the operator for the Colton Dental Association two years and seven months, and left them *voluntarily* to engage in business for himself.

Mr. Colton says he was discharged, which is an unmitigated falsehood, as are most of his advertisements. *He* is no doctor, and has no legal right to assume the title. Such being the case ought he not to be avoided the same as any other quack? "This is a pertinent question."

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Among the other features of our Sunday edition will be found

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MARRIED.

EVANS—CAIRNS.—On Friday, Sept. 6, by Rev. G. U. Wenner, ANSON A. EVANS to Miss SUSAN J. CAIRNS, all of this City.

HOADLEY—CARTER.—At Norwalk, Conn., on Wednesday, Sept. 4, by Rev. S. B. S. Bissell, Mr. WILLIAM H. HOADLEY to Miss ANNA ST. JOHN, daughter of the late Hon. J. M. Carter, of Norwalk.

WESTCOTT—THOMPSON.—On Thursday, Sept. 5, by Rev. W. M. Paxton, D. D., WILLIAM J. WESTCOT and MARY ELLICOTT, daughter of Jonathan Thompson.

DIED.

ABENDROTH.—At Port Chester, N. Y., on Thursday, Sept. 5, 1872, Mrs. MARGARET R., widow of Wm. P. Abendroth, in the 73d year of her age.

The funeral services will be held at St. Peter's Church, Port Chester, on Monday, the 9th inst. at 1 o'clock P. M. Relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend without further notice. Trains leave the New-York and New-Haven Depot, corner 27th-st. and 4th-av., at 11¼ A. M., returning at 4:26 P. M.

ANDERSON.—At Passaic, N. J., on Thursday morning, Sept. 5, CLARA, wife of William A. Anderson.

Relatives and friends of the family are invited to attend the funeral from her late residence, on Sunday, the 8th inst., at 3 o'clock P. M.

BARNES.—At the residence of his sister, Mrs. H. D. Bulkley, in Orange, N. J., on Thursday, Sept. 5, GEORGE L. BARNES, aged 52.

BENDIT.—At his residence, No. 294 Madison-av., on Friday, Sept. 6, SELIGMAN BENDIT, in the 52d year of his age.

Relatives and friends of the family are invited to attend the funeral from his late residence on Sunday morning, 8th inst., at 10 o'clock.

BUSHNELL.—At Montrose, Westchester County, N. Y., Thursday, Sept. 5, MARY W. BUSHNELL, widow of the late Orsamus Bushnell.

Funeral services at the Church of the Divine Love, on Saturday, Sept. 7, at 1 o'clock P. M. Carriages will be in waiting at Peekskill to meet Hudson River Railroad train leaving 42d-st. at 11 o'clock, A. M.

CHESNELL.—On this City, on Friday, Sept. 6, 1872, Miss ANNIE ELIZA, only daughter of Charles L. and Abby J. Bushnell, in the 18th year of her age.

Notice of funeral hereafter.

CALHOUN.—On Sept. 6, JOHN CALHOUN, in the 53d year of his age.

Funeral on Monday, Sept. 9, at 10 A. M., from his late residence, No. 343 West 18th-st., between 5th and 6th avs., where a solemn Mass of Requiem will be offered for the repose of his soul. The remains will be interred in St. Patrick's Cathedral.

GUINAN.—On Sept. 6, ISABELLA TONONER, wife of Michael Guinan, at her residence, No. 9 Adams-st., Hoboken.

Friends and relatives are invited on Sunday afternoon at 5 o'clock.

HAVILAND.—At Rye, Sept. 4, 1872, THOMAS HAVILAND, in the 82d year of his age.

Friends and relatives are invited to attend his funeral, at the Rye M. E. Church, on Saturday, the 7th inst., at 2 o'clock P. M.

HILLER.—At Nantucket, on the 2d inst., after a short illness, Mrs. SARAH B. HILLER, aged 73 years.

HUGGINS.—Sept. 4, in this City, JAMES S. HUGGINS, Esq., in the seventy-fourth year of his age.

His relatives and friends and those of the family, are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from the Church, of the Ascension, corner of Fifth-avenue and Tenth-street, on Saturday, the 7th inst., at 10 A. M., without further invitation.

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NEW-YORK CATTLE MARKET.

NEW-YORK, Friday, Sept. 6, 1872.

There was a rather heavy run of horned Cattle on yesterday forenoon at Weehawken Yards; 64 cars came to hand, and were sold out from 8¼c.@14c. ₱ lb., including Texan native and grade Steers; weights ranged from 5 cwt. to 7¼ cwt., on 55 lbs. to 57 lbs. to the cwt., net. On yesterday and today, at Communipaw Yards, trade in horned Cattle was fair, on a reduction of nearly ½c. ₱ lb. on Beeves ranging from fair to good. Common Cattle were very slow; prices ranged from 8¼c.@13¼c. ₱ lb.; weights from 5¼ cwt. to 8¼ cwt., on 56@58 lbs. to the cwt., net. Sheep were firm, from 5c.@7c. ₱ lb.; Lambs fair, from 8½c.@9¼c. ₱ lb., on both yesterday and today. Trade in Hogs is a trifle off; Live Hogs nominal from 5¼c.@5¼c. ₱ lb.; City Dressed from 6¾c.@6¾c. ₱ lb., with light Pigs at 7c. ₱ lb.

SALES

Coney & McPherson sold for E. Newton 60 Steers, Ohios, from common to good, from 11c.@13½c. ₱ lb.; weight 8 cwt.; also, 55 Steers, Virginias, coarse Cattle, at 11c ₱ lb., weight 6 cwt. J. H. Dalbey sold for self 68 Steers, Illinois, common Cattle, at 11c. ₱ lb., weight 6½ cwt.; held on sale. 34 Steers, Texans, W. B. Gill ett sold for self 105 Steers, Ohios, from common to fair, with a good top, from 10c.@12c.@13½c. ₱ lb., weights from 6¼ cwt. to 6¾ cwt. H. Westheimer sold for self and Co. 170 Steers, Kentuckys, good cattle, from 13c.@14c. ₱ lb., weight 7½ cwt.; also, 278 Steers, Virginias and Ohios mixed, from common to good, from 10¼c.@13c. ₱ lb., weight 6¾ cwt. Schuster & Lauderbeck sold for N. Morris 98 Steers, Illinois, from fair to good, from 12¼c.@13¼c. ₱ lb., weight 7 cwt. sent: also, 100 Steers, Texans, at 8¾c. ₱ lb., weight 5¼ cwt. C. Khan sold for self 57 Steers, Kentuckys, generally good Cattle, from 12¼c. @14c. ₱ lb., weight 8¼ cwt. strong. M. Goldschmidt sold for self 107 Steers, Ohios, good to choice, from 13½c.@15c. ₱ lb., weight 8 cwt.; also held on sale 250 Steers, mixed Ohios and Kentuckys. H. Meser sold for N. Morris, 38 Steers, Missouris, rough Cattle, at 11¼c. ₱ lb., weight 7 cwt. sent. W. C. Dudley sold for N. Morris 49 Steers, Texans and Illinois mixed common Cattle, from 9c.@ 12c. ₱ lb., weight 5¼ cwt. to 6 cwt. B. Westheimer sold for T. Kinemens 92 Steers, Illinois, from common to fair, from 10c.@12¼c. ₱ lb., weight from 5 cwt. to 7 cwt.

COMMUNIPAW STREET MARKET.

Kase & Hann sold 108 Pennsylvania Lambs, average weight 54 lbs. ₱ head, at 8¾c. ₱ lb.; held 3 cars of Sheep and Lambs on sale. J. N. Woodcock sold 19 Sheep, weight 1,270 lbs., at 5c. ₱ lb.; 79 Sheep, weight 6,669 lbs., at 5¼c. ₱ lb.; 125 Sheep, weight 9,930 lbs., at 6¼c. ₱ lb.; 212 Sheep, weight 17,280 lbs., at 8¼c. ₱ lb.; 308 Sheep, weight 24,940 lbs., at 7c. ₱ lb.; 36 Lambs, weight 1,270 lbs., at 8½c. ₱ lb.; 96 Lambs, weight 8,600 lbs., at 9c. ₱ lb.; 40 Lambs, weight 2,210 lbs., at 9½c. ₱ lb.

RECEIPTS.

Fresh arrivals for yesterday and today, at Communipaw Yards, 2,251 head of horned Cattle, 2,662 Hogs, 4,022 Sheep and Lambs.

FOREIGN MARKETS.

LONDON, Sept. 6—11½ A. M.—Consols opened at 92¾ for money, and 92¾ for the account. United States 5-20 Bonds, 1865s, old, 93¾; 1867s, 92¾; 10-40s, 88; new 5s, 89¾. Erie Railway shares, 20¾. 5¼ P. M.—Consols closed at 92¾ for money, and 92¾ @92¾ for the account. United States 5-20 Bonds, 1865s, old, 93¾; 1867s, 92¾; 10-40s, 87¾; new 5s, 89¾. Erie Railway Shares, 20¾.

PARIS, Sept. 6.—The specie in the Bank of France has decreased 8,333,000f. during the past week. Rentes opened at 55f. 35c., and closed 55f. 55c.

LIVERPOOL, Sept. 6—11½ A. M.—Cotton—The market opened quiet and steady. Middling Uplands, 10¼d.@10¾d.; Middling Orleans, 10¾d. The sales of the day are estimated at 12,000 bales. The sales of the week have been 105,000 bales, including 14,000 bales for export, and 13,000 bales on speculation. The stock in port is 839,000 bales, including 196,000 bales American. The receipts of the week have been 36,000 bales, including 7,000 bales American. Actual export, 10,000 bales. The stock at sea bound to this port is 209,000 bales, including 8,000 bales American. Breadstuffs—The market is quiet and steady. The receipts of Wheat for the past three days have been 6,000 quarters, including 6,000 quarters American.

1¾ P. M.—Cotton—The market is quiet. The sales of the day are now estimated at 15,000 bales, including 4,000 bales for export and speculation. Breadstuffs—2½ P. M.—Breadstuffs—Wheat, 12s. 6d. ₱ cental for Red Winter. Peas, 38s 6d. ₱ quarter for Canadian. Oats, 3s. ₱ quintal. Barley, 3s. 6d. ₱ bushel. Provisions—Pork, 52s. 6d. ₱ bbl. for new Prime Mess. Cheese, 60s. ₱ cwt. for the best grades of American fine. Lard, 41s. ₱ cwt.

5 P. M.—Cotton—The market closed unchanged. The sales of the day have been 15,000 bales, including 4,000 bales for export and speculation. Breadstuffs—The receipts of Corn at this port for the past three days have been 28,000 quarters, including 16,000 American.

LONDON, Sept. 6.—Tallow, 46s. 3d. ₱ cwt. Petroleum, 14d. ₱ gallon for Spirits, and 17¼d.@17¾d. for Refined.

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CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH, West 23d-st., between 5th and 6th avs.—Preaching by the Pastor, Rev. ROBERT P. MACARTHUR, Sunday, Sept. 8, at 10½ A. M. and 7½ P. M.

REV. T. DE WITT TALMAGE, D. D., Having returned from England, will (D. V.) preach in the BROOKLYN TABERNACLE, on SUNDAY, Sept. 8, at 10½ A. M. and 7½ P. M. Members please be in their seats at ten minutes before the hour of service.

ANTHON MEMORIAL CHURCH, 48th-st., between 6th and 7th avs.—Rector, Rev. R Heber Newton—will be re-opened on SUNDAY, 8th inst. Divine service at 10½ A. M. and 5 P. M. In the absence of the Rector, Rev. W. A. NEWBOLD will officiate.

APOLLO HALL, BROADWAY AND 28th-st.—THOMAS GALES FORSTER, the celebrated trance speaker, will lecture on SUNDAY, 10½ A. M. Subject—*Pneumatology*; and at 7½ P. M., Subject—*Philosophy of Death.* The Grand Union Picnic of the New-York and Brooklyn Lyceums will take place TUESDAY, Sept. 10, at Wartendyke, N. J., on the Midland and Oswego Railroad, at 10:20 A. M.

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BEDFORD-STREET M. E. CHURCH.—SUNDAY, 8th inst., Rev. WM. P. CORBIT will preach at 10½ A. M., and Rev. Mr. FAY at 7½ P. M.

BISHOP SNOW, OF MOUNT ZION, WILL preach in the University, Washington-square, on SUNDAY, at 3 P. M. subject—*Does a Future Life Depend on the Soul's Immortality, or on the Resurrection of the Body?*

CHURCH OF THE HEAVENLY REST, 5th av, above 45th-st.—Divine service on SUNDAY, 8th inst., at 11 A. M. and 7½ P. M. The usual afternoon service will be omitted. Rt. Rev. C. P. MCILVAINE, D. D., Bishop of Tennessee, will preach in the morning, and the Rev. T. K. CONRAD, D. D., in the evening.

CENTRAL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, West 55th-st., near Broadway.—Service in this church SABBATH, Sept 8, at 10½ o'clock A. M. and 7½ o'clock P. M. Preaching by the Pastor, Rev. JAMES D. WILSON. All are cordially invited.

CHURCH OF ST. JOHN BAPTIST, (Episcopal,) Lexington-av., corner 35th-st., Rev. Dr. DUFFIE, Rector.—Services on SUNDAY MORNING, Sept. 8, at 10½, with Holy Communion. AFTERNOON, 4 o'clock. Strangers cordially invited.

CHURCH OF THE COVENANT, Corner Park-av. and 35th-st., Rev. Dr. PRENTISS, Pastor.—Preaching on SABBATH, 8th inst., at 10½ A. M. and 4 P. M., by Rev. LEWIS F. STEARNS, of Newark, N. J.

CHURCH OF THE REFORMATION, (Episcopal,) 50th-st., east of 3d-av.; Rev. U. T. TRACY, Rector.—Service on SUNDAY at 10½ A. M. and 4 P. M. Sunday-school at 2½ P. M.

CARMEL CHAPEL.—PREACHING EVery SABBATH EVENING at 7½ o'clock by the Pastor, Rev. A. W. SCHAUFFLER, Carmel Chapel, No. 124 Bowery, near Grand-st.

CHURCH OF THE HOLY TRINITY, Madison-av. and 42d-st.—Divine service on SUNDAY, at 10½ o'clock A. M. and 4 P. M. until further notice. Rev. STEPHEN H. TYNG, Jr., will preach.

ENGLISH LUTHERAN CHURCH OF St. James, East 15th-st., between 2d and 3d avs. will be reopened for the Service on SUNDAY, Sept. 8. Preaching by the Pastor, Rev. A. C. WEDEKIND, D. D., at 10½ A. M. and 7½ P. M.

EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH OF THE HOLY TRINITY.—Owing to death in the family of the pastor, Rev. G. F. KROTEL, D. D., the opening of this Church will be postponed until SUNDAY, 15th inst.

FIVE POINTS MISSION, SITE OF THE Old Brewery, 155 Park-st., the original mission at the Points, Rev. J. N. SHAFFER, Superintendent.—Sunday-school at 9½ A. M., and from 2½ to 4 P. M.; preaching at 7½ P. M. Look in, especially in the afternoon, upon the children and hear them sing.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH SERVices corner of 3d-av. and 29th-st.—Preaching MORNING at 10½ and EVENING at 7½ o'clock, by the Pastor, Rev. THOS. D. ANDERSON, D. D. Sunday-school at 9 A. M.

FOURTH PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, 37th-st., Rev. JOHN THOMSON, D. D., Pastor, will be opened for Divine service on SUNDAY, Sept. 8. Services will commence at 10½ o'clock A. M. Sabbath-school at 9 o'clock A. M.

FORSYTH-STREET M. E. CHURCH, near Canal.—Preaching by the Pastor, Rev. J. W. BARNHART, at 10½ A. M. and 7½ P. M. Reopening exercise of the Sabbath-school at 2 P. M. All cordially invited to these services.

FOURTEENTH-STREET PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, corner 2d-av., Rev. ROBERT MCLEOD, Pastor.—Services will be resumed next SABBATH, 8th inst., at 10½ A. M. and 7½ P. M.

HARLEM FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH, 125th-av., between 126th and 127th sts.—Rev. ELIJAH LUCAS, having returned from his vacation, will preach MORNING and EVENING, Sept. 8, at the usual hour of worship.

HARLEM M.—SECOND PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, 125th-st., between 3d and 4th avs. EDWARD L. CLARK, Pastor elect, will preach MORNING and EVENING, Sept. 8, at the new hall, 125th-st., between 3d and 4th avs. The public cordially invited.

JANE-STREET M. E. CHURCH.—REV. J. F. HAMBLIN, Pastor, will preach on SUNDAY, at 10½ A. M. and 7½ P. M.; Sunday-school at 9 A. M.; monthly missionary meeting at 2 P. M. Strangers invited.

LEXINGTON-AVENUE M. E. CHURCH, corner of Lexington-av. and 52d-st.—Preaching by the Pastor, Rev. F. S. DE HASS, D. D., at 10½ A. M. and 7½ P. M. Sunday-school at 2 P. M. Strangers cordially invited. All seats free.

MADISON-SQUARE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH will be reopened for public worship on SUNDAY MORNING at 10½ o'clock, Rev. W. W. ATTERBURY officiating. On succeeding SABBATHS, until further notice, Rev. Dr. HITCHCOCK, of Union Theological Seminary, may be expected to occupy the pulpit.

MADISON-AV. REFORMED CHURCH, Madison-av. and 57th-st., will reopen on SABBATH, Sept. 8. Preaching by the Pastor, Rev. H. D. GANSE, at 10½ A. M. and 4 P. M. Sunday-school at 2½ P. M. Communion service on the third Sabbath, Sept. 15.

MURRAY HILL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, 40th-st., near Lexington-av.—Services on SABBATH, at 10½ A. M. and 7½ P. M. Preaching by the Pastor, Rev. GEORGE S. CHAMBERS.

NEW-YORK PORT SOCIETY.—Preaching at the Mariners' Church, corner of Madison and Catharine sts., at 10½ A. M. and at 7½ P. M., by the Pastor, Rev. E. D. MURPHY. Also, preaching at the Mission, No. 278 Water-st., at 3 P. M., by Rev. O. B. BRIDGMAN, and at No. 275 West-st. at 3½ P. M., by Rev. E. D. MURPHY.

OLD JOHN-STREET M. E. CHURCH, between Nassau and William sts.—Preaching by the Pastor, Rev. L. S. WEED, at 10½ A. M. and 7½ P. M. Evening subject—*New Testament*, No. 1. Seats free; all cordially invited.

PILGRIM BAPTIST CHURCH, 32D-st., between 8th and 9th avs., will be reopened on SABBATH. Preaching by the Pastor, Rev. J. SPENCER KENNARD. Morning, 10½; evening, 7½. All are welcome.

RECEPTION AND CONCERT.—MONDAY EVENING, Sept. 9, at the hall of the Young Men's Christian Association, 23d-st., corner 4th-av. The members of the Association extend a cordial invitation to strangers in the City, and to all young men and their friends. Miss Antonia Henne, Signor Bog and Mr. H. N. Sawyer will take part in the concert. Mr. A. L. Mora will preside at the organ.

REV. S. J. STEWART, PASTOR OF the West Twenty-fifth-street Presbyterian Church, between 6th and 7th avs., will preach every SABBATH MORNING and AFTERNOON at 10½ and 4. Prayer-meeting on WEDNESDAY EVENING at 8 o'clock. All are cordially invited.

REV. JACEZ BURNS, D. D. LL. D., Of London, England, will preach once more before leaving America in the Baptist Church, 44th-st., near 6th-av., at 10½ A. M. Rev. ROBERT CAMERON, Pastor, 7½ P. M.

RUTGERS PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, Madison-av. and 29th-st.—Preaching by the Pastor, N. W. CONKLING, D. D., SUNDAY, Sept. 8. Services at 10½ A. M. and 7½ P. M.

REV. JOHN E COOKMAN, PASTOR OF Trinity Methodist E. Church, in West 34th-st., near 5th-av., will preach on SUNDAY at 10½ A. M. and 7½ P. M. Strangers cordially invited.

REV. FRED. EVANS WILL PREACH AT the Central Baptist Church, south side of West 42d-st., near Broadway, at 10½ A. M. Brother W. L. KOLB will preach at 7½ P. M. Strangers are welcome.

REV. MR. PENDLETON WILL PREACH in the West Fifty-third-st. Baptist Church, on SABBATH MORNING at 10½, and in the EVENING at 7½ o'clock.

REV. DR. BURNS, OF LONDON, and Rev. Dr. ORMISTON, of this City, will address the Morning Star Sunday-school, No. 253 7th-av., corner 28th-st., SUNDAY, at 2½ P. M.

REV. C. S. HARROWER, PASTOR OF St. Luke's M. E. Church, 41st-st., near 6th-av., will preach SUNDAY MORNING, at 10½, and EVENING at 7½ o'clock.

REV. I. F. ELDER, PASTOR, WILL preach on SUNDAY in the Madison-avenue Baptist Church, corner Madison-av. and 31st-st., at 10½ A. M. and 8 P. M. Sunday-school at 9 A. M.

SECOND ANNIVERSARY OF THE Immanuel Baptist Chapel and Sunday-school, at the chapel, corner of Grand and Clinton sts., on SUNDAY, Sept. 8. Services commence at 3 o'clock P. M. Singing by the children of the Sunday-school. Addresses by Rev. G. H. ANDREWS, JOHN H. DEANE, and GEO. W. HUMMAN. EVENING service at 7½. Annual report, and sermon by the Pastor, Rev. SAMUEL ALMAN.

ST. IGNATIUS' CHURCH, 40TH-ST., between 5th and 6th avs.—Fifteenth Sunday after Trinity.—Services will be: At 9 A. M., morning prayer; 10½ A. M., Litany, Holy Communion, (choral,) and sermon; 7½ P. M., evening prayer, (choral,) with sermon. Rev. Dr. SAML. H. MEADE will preach at the 10½ A. M. and 7½ P. M. services.

RELIGIOUS NOTICES.

SECOND ADVENT CHURCH, COOPER Institute, Room No. 24.—Preaching SUNDAY, by Elder W. N. PILE at 3 P. M. Morning service at 10½ A. M. Conference meeting. All the friends of Jesus invited to take part and give in their testimony.

SHILOH PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, Corner of Prince and Marion sts.—SABBATH, Sept. 8. Rev. GEORGE D. WILLIAMS, of Boston, will preach at 3 P. M., and the Pastor, Rev. HENRY HIGHLAND GARNET, D. D., at 7½. Subject—*Perils of the Sea.*

SEVENTEENTH-STREET M. E. CHURCH, between 1st and 2d avs.—Rev. WM. H. BOOLE, Pastor, will preach SUNDAY MORNING and EVENING. Seats free. General Prayer-meeting 6½ P. M.

ST. ANN'S CHURCH, 18TH-ST., NEAR 5th-av.—On SUNDAY, Holy Communion at 7 A. M.; Rev. GEORGE R. WATSON will preach at 10½ A. M., and Rev. Dr. GALLAUDET, for deaf mutes, at 3 P. M. Evening prayer at 5 P. M. Seats free.

SERVICE OF SONG.—ASSOCIATION Hall, corner of 4th-av. and 23d-st., at 7½ o'clock, every SUNDAY EVENING, followed by a short address.

ST. PAUL'S M. E. CHURCH, 4TH-AV., corner 22d-st.—Preaching by Rev. Dr. FOSS, at 10½ A. M., and at 7½ o'clock in the EVENING.

THE FIRST OF A SERIES OF SCIentific sermons will be delivered by STEPHEN PEARL ANDREWS, at Naylor's Academy, north-west corner of 6th-av. and 34th-st., (entrance on 34th-st.) SUNDAY, Sept. 8, at 10½ A. M. The public are invited. Seats free.

TRINITY BAPTIST CHURCH.—IN 55th-st., near Lexington-av., Rev. J. S. HOLME, D. D., Pastor.—Preaching every LORD'S DAY, at 10½ A. M. and 7½ P. M. Sunday-school at 2½ P. M.

WESTMINSTER PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, West 22d-st., between 6th and 7th avs.—Preaching SUNDAY MORNING by Rev. Dr. JNO. G. ATTERBURY, of Detroit. Young people's meeting, 8 o'clock evening, in lecture-room. Strangers cordially invited.

WEST TWENTY-THIRD-STREET PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, near 7th-av.—Rev. O. B. BIDWELL, D. D., will preach at 10½ A. M. Young people's prayer-meeting at 7½ P. M. The Pastor, Rev. R. D. NORTHROP, will preach SABBATH MORNING, Sept. 15.

WEST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, 42d-st., between 5th and 6th avs., Rev. T. S. HASTING, D. D.—Services will be resumed Sept. 8.—MORNING service at 10½. AFTERNOON service at 3½ o'clock.

WASHINGTON-SQUARE M. E. CHURCH, 4th-st., near 6th-av.—Preaching at 10½ A. M. and 7½ P. M. by the Pastor, Rev. W. P. ABBOTT.

SITUATIONS WANTED.

FEMALES.

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CHAMBER-MAID, &c.—BY A VERY RESpectable colored girl a situation as chamber-maid, waitress, or nurse. Call at No. 545 6th-av., second floor, before 12 o'clock.

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HOUSE-WORK.—BY A GOOD GERMAN woman, a situation to do general house-work; is a plain cook, a good washer and ironer. Apply at No. 127 Norfolk-st., of M. Hild.

NURSE.—BY A COLORED GIRL, WITH GOOD City reference, a situation as nurse. Call at No. 545 6th-av. before 12 o'clock.

WASHING.—BY A RESPECTABLE PROTestant widow woman, a family's washing in her own house, or go out by the day house-cleaning. No. 251 West 29th-st.

$100,000 FOR $10.—PUBLIC LIbrary of Kentucky. Office No. 609 Broadway. Open until 9 P. M.

MALES.

COACHMAN AND GARDENER.—A respectable man wants a situation in a private family as coachman and gardener; is willing to make himself generally useful; would go a short distance in the country; is married; has no family; good reference from last employer. Call or address J. T., No. 864 Dean-st., Brooklyn.

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CHAMBER-MAID.—WANTED A FIRSTclass chamber-maid and to assist in waiting. Apply from 12 to 4 o'clock, at No. 18 West 54th-st.

HOUSE-WORK.—WANTED, A MIDDLEaged woman to do general house-work, good plain cook, washing and ironing; liberal wages, none need apply without the best City reference from last employer to E. S., No. 313 South 1st-st.

R. H. MACY & CO. WANT INTELLIGENT and industrious salesmen in all departments of fancy goods; experienced saleswomen preferred; must be correct at figures and have good references. Apply at the desk of the Superintendent, between 2 and 4 P. M.

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PUBLIC NOTICES.

SUPREME COURT.—IN THE MATTER of the application of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New-York, relative to the opening of One Hundred and Thirty-sixth-street, from Eighth-avenue to the Harlem River, in the City of New-York.

We, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved or unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in these proceedings, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and who may be opposed to the same, do present their objections in writing, duly verified, to E. B. Hart, Esq., our Chairman, at the office of the Commissioners, No. 82 Nassau-street, Room No. 24, in the said City, on or before the 8th day of October, 1872, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting and that all persons interested in the said 8th day of October, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days, at 12 o'clock M.

That the abstract of the said estimate and assessment, together with our maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents which were used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works in the City of New-York, there to remain until the 21st day of October, 1872.

That the limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid are as follows, to wit: All those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being on both sides of One Hundred and Thirty-sixth-street, between Eighth-avenue and the Harlem River, and extending on either side of One Hundred and Thirty-sixth-street half the distance to the next street thereto, in said City of New-York.

That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New-York, at a special term thereof, to be held in the new Court-house at the City Hall, in the City of New-York, on the 12th day of November, 1872, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated NEW-YORK, Sept. 2, 1872.

E. B. HART,
J. S. HENNESSY,
H. A. NELSON, } Commissioners.

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REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS.

The market for real estate was quiet yesterday, Friday, Sept. 6. Only a few persons were in attendance at the Exchange, and the following constitutes all the business pertaining to real estate that was transacted:

William Kennelly sold, by order of the Supreme Court, under the direction of Matthew T. Brennan, Esq., Sheriff, the three-story and basement high-stoop brick house and lot, 20.7 by 100, situate on the south-east corner of Second-avenue and Twelfth-street, to Thomas Quincy, one of the parties in interest, for the sum of $18,000. The sale was made for the purpose of clearing the title to the property; the price for which it was struck off cannot, therefore, be considered as a fair estimate of its value.

Joseph McGuire adjourned the Supreme Court sale of the house and lot situate on the north side of Thirty-fourth-street, 41.8 feet east of Tenth-avenue, to Friday, Sept. 13, by order of James H. Coleman, Esq., referee.

As far as could be ascertained there are no auction sales of real estate advertised to take place at the Exchange today, Saturday, Sept. 7.

Exchange Sale—Friday, Sept. 6, 1872.
NEW-YORK.
By William Kennelly.

1 h. and l., s. e. corner of 2d-av. and 12th-st., 29 7x100.....$18,000

Recorded Real Estate Transfers.
NEW-YORK.
Friday, Sept. 6.

Boulevard, s. e. corner 47th-st., 99x175.....$39,500
Fulton-st., n. s., old No. 139, running to Ann-st.; Nassau-st., old No. 47; indefs. share.....3,000
Spring-st., s. s., 110 ft. w. of Hudson-st., 20x75, and 20-half part, mortgage, $5,000.....250
42d-st., s. s., 421.3 ft. w. of Avenue D, 22.8x100.1, and [illegible].....25,000
142d-st., n. s., 95.5 ft. w. of Avenue B, 19x92, B. and l.; 146th-st., n. s., 114 ft. w. of Avenue B, 18.8x92, B. and l.....16,500
20th-st., s. s., 325 ft. w. of 2d-av., 113x102x87.6x100.5.....37,750
54th-st., n. s., 100 ft. e. of 2d-av., 50x100.5; 58th-st., n. s., 100 ft. e. of 2d-av., 50x100.5.....31,000
55th-st., s. s., 82 ft. e. of 2d-av., 16x80, h. and l.....12,000
96th-st., s. s., 100 ft. e. of 1st-av., 100x100.5, confirmatory.....nom.
Lexington-av., s. e. corner 47th-st., 100.6x30.5, mortgages $125,000.....150,000

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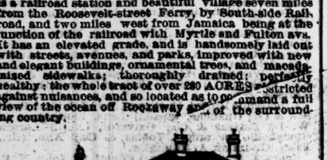

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BANKRUPT NOTICES.

THIS IS TO CERTIFY THAT THE UNdersigned have, pursuant to the provisions of the Revised Statutes of the State of New-York, formed a limited partnership, under the name or firm of GEORGE H. BELDEN; that the general nature of the business to be transacted is plating various nickel articles manufactured from other metals or materials, and that the names of all the general and special partners are GEORGE H. BELDEN and DAVID N. LORD, both of whom reside in the City and County and State of New-York, that the said George H. Belden is the general partner and David N. Lord is the special partner, and that the said David N. Lord has contributed the sum of twenty thousand dollars as capital towards the common stock, and that the said partnership is to commence on the twelfth day of July, 1872, and is to terminate on the thirtieth day of April, 1877.—Dated this twelfth day of July, 1872.
GEORGE H. BELDEN,
General Partner.
DAVID N. LORD,
Special Partner.
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IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE United States for the Southern District of New-York.—In the matter of ADELHEID LEERBURGER, Bankrupt.—To whom it may concern: This is to give notice that a second general meeting of the creditors of said Adelheid Leerburger, the above-named bankrupt, will be held at No. 7 Beekman-street, New-York City, in said district, on the 20th day of September, A. D. 1872, at 12 o'clock M., at the office of Joseph C. Dwight, one of the Registers in Bankruptcy, in said district, for the purpose named in the twenty-second section of the act of Congress entitled "An act to establish a uniform system of bankruptcy throughout the United States," approved March 2, 1867.—Dated New-York Sept. 5, 1872.
FERDINAND FORSCH, } Assignees.
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LEGAL NOTICES.

AT A SPECIAL TERM OF THE Supreme Court, held at the Court-house in the City of New-York on the 6th day of June, 1872.—Present, Hon. George C. Barrett, Justice.—GEORGE W. MOTGOMERY against THE MARKET FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.—On reading and filing the petition of Henry E. Freeman, Receiver of the Market Fire Insurance Company, and it appearing to this Court, that it is necessary and proper that an order should be made herein in accordance with the prayer of said petition. Now on motion of Stephen W. Gaines, attorney for said receiver, it is ordered that a notice be published in the New-York daily *Times*, a newspaper published in the City of New-York once a week for six months, requiring all the creditors of the said the Market Fire Insurance Company to exhibit their claims and become parties to the above entitled suit, within six months from the first publication of this order, and in default thereof that they be precluded from all benefit of the judgment or decree which shall be made in such suit, and from any distribution which shall be made under such judgment or decree. And it is further ordered that a copy of this order be published in the same manner, and for the same time, as hereinbefore directed for the publication of said notice. And it is further ordered that John H. Platt, Esq., a counselor of this Court, be and he hereby is appointed referee for the purposes of this order; that such publication be made under his direction, and that all the creditors exhibit their claims to him at the said office, hear and determine any claims that may be contested, and that he may be at liberty to report to this Court from time to time as he may deem proper; and it is further ordered that the said receiver may apply to this Court at any time for further directions in this suit.

Notice to creditors of the Market Fire Insurance Company.—To all whom it may concern.—Supreme Court, City and County of New-York.—GEORGE W. MONTGOMERY against THE MARKET FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.—Notice is hereby given that no order, of which the foregoing is a copy, has been duly made in the above entitled action, and that all creditors of said Company are required to exhibit their claims to me, the undersigned, at my office, No. 49 Wall-street, in the City of New-York, and to comply with the terms of said order on or before the 30th day of December, 1872.—Dated New-York, June 7, 1872.
je8-law8mS JOHN H. PLATT Referee.

NEW-YORK SUPREME COURT.—Place of trial—the County of Sullivan.—SUN MUTUAL INSURANCE COMPANY, plaintiffs, against SARAH A. GILMOUR, (widow of James Gilmour,) John Alexander Gilmour, (son of the late James Gilmour,) William Dougal Gilmour, Robert Warred Gilmour, Sarah Dougal Gilmour, Charles Edward Gilmour, Margaret Gilmour, (widow of John A. Gilmour,) John Alexander Gilmour, (son of the late John A. Gilmour,) Leonard Pierce, Jr., and Margaret Ann Pierce, his wife, Albert V. Demarest, and Rachel Demarest, his wife, John L. Smith, and John Dodds, and Edward C. Donnelly, as surviving partner of the firm of Donnelly, Durning & Co., defendants.—To the defendants above-named and each of them:—You are hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint in this action, which will be filed in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New-York, at the City Hall, in said City, and to serve a copy of your answer to the said complaint on the subscriber at his office, No. 33 Nassau-st., in the City and County of New-York, within twenty days after the service of this summons on you, exclusive of the day of such service; and if you fail to answer the said complaint within the time aforesaid, the plaintiff in this action will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the complaint.—Dated New-York, May 14, 1872.
GERARDUS C. KING, Plaintiff's Attorney,
No. 33 Nassau-st., New-York City.

The complaint in the above entitled action was duly filed in the said office of the said Clerk of the County of Sullivan, at Monticello, in said County, on the 30th day of May, 1872.
GERARDUS C. KING, Plaintiff's Attorney,
No. 33 Nassau-st., New-York.
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SUPREME COURT—CITY AND COUNTY OF New-York.—MARY A. CHISOLM, Plaintiff, against SOPHIA WOOLSEY, widow of William Farrell Thomas J. Farrell and William H. Farrell, Defendants.—Summons for relief.—(Com. not Ser.)—To the defendant, Thomas J. Farrell: You are hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint in this action, which will be filed in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New-York, at the City Hall, in said City, and to serve a copy of your answer to the said complaint on the subscriber at his office, No. 17 Wall-street, in said City, within twenty days after the service of this summons on you, exclusive of the day of such service; and if you fail to answer the said complaint within the time aforesaid, the plaintiff in this action will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the complaint.—Dated Aug. 23, 1872. J. CODDINGTON,
Plaintiff's Attorney, No. 17 Wall-street, New-York City.

The complaint in the above-entitled action was filed in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New-York, at the Hall of the Court-house in said City, on the 27th day of August, 1872.
J. CODDINGTON,
Plaintiff's Attorney.
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NEW-YORK SUPREME COURT.—New-York County.—NORMAN SMITH, plaintiff, against JOSEPH BELLOWS, defendant.—Summons for a money demand on contract.—(Com. not Ser.)—To the defendant: You are hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint in this action, which will be filed in the office of the Clerk of the City and County of New-York, at the County Court-house, New-York City, and to serve a copy of your answer to the said complaint on the subscriber at his residence, No. 214 East Twelfth-street, in the City of New-York, on or before the 8th day of September next.—Dated New-York, the 8th day of March, 1872.
JANE C. RUSSELL, Administratrix.
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COPARTNERSHIP NOTICES.

DISSOLUTION.—THE COPARTNERSHIP heretofore existing under the firm name of NIMMONS & RICHARDSON is this day dissolved by mutual consent.
Either party will sign in liquidation.
NEW-YORK, Aug. 31, 1872.
SAMUEL NIMMONS.
FRED. C. RICHARDSON.

COPARTNERSHIP.—The undersigned have this day, formed a copartnership under the firm name of FRED. C. RICHARDSON & CO., for the transaction of a general commission business, in connection with their friends, Richardson, Spence & Co., Liverpool. No. 60 STONE-ST., NEW-YORK, Sept. 2, 1872.
FRED. C. RICHARDSON.
T. CHESLEY RICHARDSON.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, under the firm name of FINN & WEEKS, was this day dissolved by mutual consent. MORGAN FINN, who continues the business, is authorized to sign in liquidation.
MORRIS FINN.
Dated NEW-YORK, Sept. 6, 1872. FELIX WEIL.

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ELEGANTLY-FURNISHED SECOND and third floors to let, containing all modern improvements, with private table only. No. 31 West 22d-st.

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FIFTH-AV., NO. 138, NEAR 20TH-ST.—Desirable suites of well-furnished rooms, without board, on first and second floors, for gentlemen; also, single rooms.

NO. 93 WASHINGTON-ST., JERSEY City, hardly five minutes' walk from Cortlandt-st. ferry.—Two large, first-class rooms, with good board.

NO. 29 WEST EIGHTEENTH-STREET.—A handsome suite of rooms, with board, may be had by a desirable party; rooms are large and family small.

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NOS. 200 AND 202 WEST 23D-ST.—Very pleasant front rooms for gentlemen and wives or gentlemen; house and board first class.
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NO. 114 WEST 38TH-ST., FIRST HOUSE FROM BROADWAY.—To let, with board, back parlor, second floor, alcove room front; also rooms for single gentlemen.

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HANDSOME ROOMS WITH BOARD, AT NO. 23 EAST 20TH-ST., IN A SMALL FAMILY.

ONE BLOCK WEST OF BROADWAY. NO. 34 EAST 12TH-ST.
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NO. 153 EAST 31ST-ST.—ROOMS ON second and third floors to let, with board, for gentlemen and wives and single gentlemen.

$100,000 FOR $10.—PUBLIC LIbrary of Kentucky. Office No. 609 Broadway. Open until 9 P. M.

BOARD WANTED.

WANTED—BY A GENTLEMAN AND WIFE, a second or third story front room, with good board, in a small family, who own their house and furnish good home-made bread and desserts; price between $30 and $40 per week; locality between 34th and 49th sts., not west of 8th nor east of 5th avs.; references exchanged. Address WARREN, Up-town *Times* Office, No. 54½ West 32d-st.

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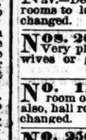

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ap6-law6mS* Administrators, with will annexed.

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JANE C. RUSSELL, Administratrix.
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THE METIS.

Continuation of the Official Investigation at Providence.

Revelations of the Incapacity and Selfishness of the Company's Officials—Indignation of the People—The Search for the Missing Still in Progress.

Special Dispatch to the New-York Times.

PROVIDENCE, R. I. Sept. 6.—The investigation opened in the Grand Jury room, over the Custom-house, this morning, pursuant to adjournment of the evening before. Capt Boels had come on from New-London by the early train, and presided at the investigation. The proceedings were conducted publicly, and, by Inspector Boole's orders, every facility was given to the Press. The examination of Edmund Davis, bow watchman, was resumed. The testimony given by him yesterday was gone over again by Capt. Boole, who closely cross-examined the witness. The watchman said he is over sixty four years old, having followed the sea since he was a boy; was in the employ of this Company for nearly eight years, and had served as watchman during the last seven on the steamers Gallatea and Metis; didn't know anything about water-tight compartments or lower works of the Metis, never having been below, as his boat, properly speaking, was the Gallatea, which is laid up. In answer to Capt. Boole's question as to what he, witness, thought of the management and conduct of the officers of the steamer before, during and after the disaster, he said he thought they did all they could to save human life and remedy matters as far as possible when the collision took place; never heard any question asked from the pilot-house at all. Further, he swore that he never had been on the main deck after the vessel had left New-York, and although the hatches were not fastened down tightly, he did not see any one of the steerage passengers come up during or after the collision; he could have seen them if they had come. Speaking of the weather at the time of the disaster, he said that just before it was not thick, but became foggy immediately after; did not know where Capt. Burton was for a long time before the accident; this was the first trip the crew of the Gallatea had taken on the Metis. At this point the testimony closed without any material alteration of yesterday's.

To go back to the situation of matters here, I can say that popular feeling grows more strong against the Company every hour. It has been commonly told among steam-boat men that strong efforts had been put forth in certain quarter to leave the investigation in the hands of the local inspectors, and for some reason not yet known, Gen. Nimmo had ordered things to take that course. Still, an appeal was made last night by influential citizens to the Secretary of the Treasury to allow Capt. Boole to preside, and the consequence was a telegram from the Secretary, this morning, to Capt. Boole, to obey written instructions given him on the 4th inst., to conduct the inquiry. Accordingly, suitable steps were taken and affairs progress. The Court now is composed of Inspectors Beekwith, Hovey and Disturnell, Inspector Boole. The Court-room is crowded with people, and only Capt. Hall and Mr. Nickerson, agent of the Company, were present this morning.

Stories come here today of the presence of people down the coast at Watch Hill looking for missing ones. Nothing is said to show that they are others than those whose names have already been published. Many theories of the cause of the disaster are advanced by sea faring men. The favorite one is that the forward compartment being broken and filled with a heavy pressure of water, having only a wooden bulk-head, burst easily and flooded the ship immediately, that water passed readily between the seams of the flooring, ceiling, and bulk-head into other parts of the ship. All agree that the destruction was unusually rapid.

At the morning session the next witness was Thos. Hasty, second mate of the Metis: He had been in the Company's employ fifteen months; just before the collision was off duty, but went on when abreast of Gull Island, having eleven valuable horses on main deck forward, for which he was answerable; was talking to the lower deck watchman on the main deck when the crash took place; then ran forward, but could see nothing of its cause; he and the chief mate went into the oiler's room to nail canvass over the break, when the bell rang, and they were ordered below to see if she was making any water; went down into the hold forward, where everything was dry; no water to be seen in the compartment, which was about two feet forward of where the schooner struck; the first pilot came down and examined the break; Capt. Hall gave orders to the mates to stand by their boats; Capt. Torrey, pilot, held Hasty on guard while he leaned over with a lantern to see whether any damage was done on the water-line; in this position, though dipped into the sea every time the vessel rolled, witness was confident no sign of mischief was visible; Capt. Torrey turned back, saying, "Guess it's all right;" witness next went for wooden boat No. 3 with ax, and cut her away; there were sixteen or eighteen people in her while she was on the hurricane deck; the stern part was hoisted partly off; Hasty, finding it impossible to lift her clear, took a club and threatened to split somebody's head if they didn't get out; they did so, and the boat was awung clear; one sailor was ordered to take hold to and lower the forward fall; the man mistook his orders, and let go the bow tackle, while the after one was fast, and precipitated all hands into the water; the coil, which was fast round second mate's legs, carried him overboard; there were eighteen people in the boat when she went down that way, and after second mate got up and cut away the after-fall, letting the boat down into the sea, he and and others righted her, and about seven or eight got into her; cries were heard from all directions, "Save me," and witness said he tried to do it; finding his efforts almost in vain, he was heading the boat toward the steamer, which could hardly be made out, when a gentleman, whom he afterward found out was Col. Gallup, said it was no use to look for her, and the mate trimmed the boat to sea, and succeeded in reaching Stonington; he thought there were about fourteen or fifteen steerage passengers on the Metis, who all sat in the boat forward; the hatches were open, and life-preservers in abundance were handy to enable them to escape, but he could not tell whether they had or not. In reply to Capt. Boole's question, "Why did you obey the orders of Col. Gallup while you were in command of this boat, or why did you take his advice to turn away from the steamer's track to go into Stonington, when you thought he was only a passenger and you had intended to pursue your search for the Metis?" witness shifted all around and could not be brought to give a direct answer. Capt. Boole was compelled to put specific questions as to the construction and capacity of the boat, which, although sworn to by him as being only 14 feet long, witness said had four thwarts, with over 4 feet stern-sheets and bow each, which would have rendered rowing totally impracticable; again, he said she could have carried eight more people safely to Stonington; Capt. Boole asked the question: "Being satisfied that you could do so, why did you take this person's orders or suggestions, and leave struggling people to their fate?" The answer was again evasive, witness saying that he had not taken the suggestions of Gallup, and again admitting he did. Being further questioned, he said he kept head to sea, but did not know how they were going. This was upset by the admission that he knew the wind was south-east; then he admitted that the parties saved were Pat Driscol, Pat Carroll, Antonio Joseph, Antoine Fretis, Joe Lalor, and Pat Downing, deck hands, himself and Col. Gallup, who was the only passenger in the boat; with seven men accustomed to the sea, a relief of rowers, yet witness testified that he had done all he could, in his judgment, to rescue people, although he admitted that their efforts occupied only fifteen minutes. He afterward admitted that he found out Mr. Gallup was a very wealthy citizen of Providence, at the time they were in the boat struggling with the sea.

A singular fact about this testimony so far is that not one of the witnesses knew anything of the breach which must have caused the fatality. The second mate says he went below to look for it, and so does the oiler, James Whitelow, but neither visited the compartment which the schooner struck and where grave injury must have been done. One went into the forward compartment, which was unhurt, and the other stood in the shaft-alley, and neither could have seen any hole in the intermediate compartment. The Purser's testimony seems to indicate, as does that of others, that there was not time to make any search below for the breach during the ten minutes between the collision and the discovery of the vessel's sinking condition. Capt. Torrey, the pilot, mainly corroborated the details of the disaster as told by former witnesses, adding that he thought the boats could and ought to have been got away in better shape and greater safety than they were, although he was unwilling to acknowledge that either he or Capts. Burton and Hall were to blame.

James Whitelow, on the Metis, was next examined. He said: Heard crash while oiling the cross-rail, while the second engineer was in the engine-room with me; we went to the safety-valve, where I met Mr. King, chief-engineer, who told me to go down into the shaft-alley with a lantern; here I had a severe struggle to get out, as water was rushing in; got on to the platform, observing the second engineer open the bilge injection; after a great deal of trouble we got out of the engine-room, with a fireman, to the deck, having set all three pumps going before we left; it was three minutes after I came out of the shaft-alley before the water gained visibly; got ashore on a raft with Capts. Hall and Burton, and forty or fifty others; when the smoke-stack fell through, the hurricane-deck broke in three pieces, and all came ashore together; the bottom left without giving any unusual shock. The rest of his testimony was merely a reiteration of his cross-examination.

After this person's testimony a recess was taken, and business was resumed within an hour in the larger room, which was well attended by citizens. Several passengers were in waiting, willing to give statements which they say will throw light upon the number of persons who had taken passage that trip. The evidence around which the greatest interest centered after that of Logan, the other oiler, J. H. Latham, purser, and Capt. Torrey, the first pilot, was that of W. W. Palmer, pilot, who was in the wheelhouse at the time of the disaster. He told concisely, and somewhat differently, the story of the accident.

Another unfortunate is reported among the missing; his name is Addison Van Buren, colored, of this place. He was in the steward's department, and has never been heard of since. At a late hour the investigation adjourned until 10 o'clock to-morrow morning, when Capts. Hall and Barton, with Mr. McCrillis, passenger, Baker, the wheelman, and a number of others will be examined. Much is expected from Mr. McCrillis.

Detailed Report of the Testimony Before the Inspectors.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Sept. 6.—The investigation into the loss of the Metis was continued today before the United States Inspectors, Messrs. L. H. Boole, Beckwith and Hovey.

Edmund Davis, bow watchman, completed his testimony, adding nothing of special importance.

Thomas Harty, second mate, testified that the crash of the collision was heard by him, and he ran forward to the room of the first oiler, where it appeared to be, nearly under the pilot-house; I heard the deck-bell from the pilot-house and answered it; they ordered me to go down into the forward hold and see if the boat was making any water; I went down through the scuttle into the hold forward of the forward bulk-head; everything was dry; there was no water in that compartment; I could not get out of that compartment into the next one without going on deck; there was no scuttle in the bulk-head of any description; went down to her keelson and looked for the leak, but did not see any; she was perfectly dry all through; came up and reported to pilot-house that everything was right in the forecastle, and that no water was making; then went aft to trim the ship; she was heeled over on her port side; this bulkhead was about two feet forward of where the vessel struck; I told them how it was, and the first pilot came down and looked himself at the break; about five minutes after the collision, he gave me a lantern and lowered me over the side to look for damage; all I could see was a scratch along the guard; saw no break and no planks started; I was about ten minutes examining; the lantern threw a light down to the water; they took me away, saying they were perfectly satisfied that there was no leakage there, and I was perfectly satisfied; Capt. Torrey then went back to his duty in the pilot-house; afterwards, as I saw the boat was very much down by the head, and I ran forward again and looked in the forecastle, and there was about three feet of water in the hold; Capt. Hall came there, and said, "Tell Mr. Baker (the first mate) to stand by the boats, and get the boats away;" Mr. Baker went, and I followed him: I went down to my cabin; there was an ax there; I got on deck, and did my duty as well as I could; I believe it was both No. 3 that I went to on the port side; I carried an ax to cut the halliards, and Capt. Torrey heped me to hoist the bow of the boat; we got the boat half-way swung, when people got in and filled it; there were about sixteen or eighteen passengers and crew, deck-hands and firemen, but no ladies or children; the boat was hanging by the davits; through a blunder of a deck-hand, the tackle was let go aft, and the forward part of the boat dropped and threw them all out; I was thrown into the water; I pulled myself up, righted the boat, and got it off with seven persons besides myself; one was Col. Gallup; I proposed to look for the steamer, but Col. Gallup thought that it would be of no use; the second compartment was not accessible from the hatch without removing the freight, which would have taken two or three hours; I should think there were fourteen or fifteen steerage passengers; the hatches were open, and the gangways, from which they could have escaped; the life-preservers were overhead.

James Whitlaw, oiler, testified that after the crash he was sent down into the shaft-alley to see if there was any water; there was none at first, but in ten minutes it rushed in from forward, put out his light, and he narrowly escaped drowning.

Daniel Logan, oiler, was asleep in the room entered by the schooner's bowsprit; first mate came and ordered canvas nailed over the hole; first pilot asked first mate if the schooner struck under the guards; he took a light, looked over, and said it did not; Capt. Hall told first mate Baker to look over and see if there was danger; the mate did look; he said he could not see, the sea was running so; Capt. Hall asked how far from the bulkhead the schooner struck; the mate said about ten feet; the second mate was sent forward by Capt. Hall; he returned and reported all right.

W. W. Palmer, pilot, testified—He was on watch the time of the collision; saw schooner on the starboard bow, showing a green light; another on the port bow, showing both lights; put wheel to port to clear first schooner; suddenly he came into the wind with his sails shaking; rang two bells to stop the boat; the schooner struck us about forty feet abaft the beam on the port side; Capt. Burnam came into the pilot-house; I started ahead again; the Captain took charge, and turned the boat down, and went back fifteen minutes looking for the schooner; another schooner came along and stopped; we blew three whistles twice, and failing to find the schooner kept on our course; report came that the steamer was sinking; Capt. Hall ordered me to head for shore, and I ran her ten or fifteen minutes toward Watch Hill beach, blowing whistle continually for help until no steam was left; stayed in the pilot-house with the boat stopped and blowing, and then went on deck, and assisted in getting the forward life-boat over the side; deck watchman reported both schooners before we saw them; the second two minutes after the first; when second moved so as to hide green light, I put helm hard aport and shoved off towards the first; did not see the second till the first got close ahead of us, and at the time I stopped the engine I saw her green light and her sails making on our starboard bow.

Abram Forney, first pilot, testified that he was off duty, but when the collision occurred got up and went first to the pilot-house, then went between decks to ascertain the damage; put the second mate over the guard and held him there a minute; he reported that he could see no damage; moonlight; he could not see the spunsons; the guard was not cut at all; reports from the forecastle and the engineer said that the vessel was making no water; the steamer was then started on her course, and in five or ten minutes it was discovered that the vessel was setting; we then headed for the shore; I stayed in the pilot-house as long as she would steer; I then helped to get out the boats; Capt. Benton was cool and collected.

The investigation was here adjourned until to-morrow.

Remarkable Cases of Longevity in Canada.

From the Montreal Witness, Sept. 5.

In the parish of St. Damien, County of Berthier, there is living a woman who has attained the extraordinary age of one hundred and eight years. She was born in 1764 at Marquette, Mich., which was then a trading station. Her father was a Frenchman named A uger, and her mother an Indian woman. In early life she came to Sorel, in Canada, and nearly thirty years ago removed to St. Damien, where she is now living with one of her sons. She is quite blind and nearly deaf, but still enjoys a degree of physical health and soundness of mind which are remarkable in a person so aged. Once started in conversation, especially if it is about the circumstances of her youth, she talks for a long time and with considerable animation. She still keeps nearly all her hair, which is of an iron-gray color, and long and coarse like that of her maternal race. She relates that when she was a girl an Indian of her tribe, who died at 115 years of age, prophesied that she would live until her hair became white as snow. She takes pleasure in repeating this story to visitors, and one might suspect it to be a fabrication invented to heighten the interest naturally felt in one so aged, but her family state that she has always related this story, and believes the prophecy to be true. In the adjoining parish of St. Gabriel de Brandon lives another of her sons, named Louis Godin. He is her first-born, and is ninety-three years old. He retains all his senses and physical strength in a most remarkable degree of preservation. Few men of sixty years can do more work in the fields, and this Summer he came up to Longueuil, where he worked several weeks at haying with one of his sons.

A Strange Story of Supersition.

From the Providence Herald, Sept. 5.

The village of Peacedale was thrown into quite a state of excitement on Thursday last, by the report that two graves had been dug up near Watson's Corner, on the shore of the Saugatucket River. The circumstances are as follows: The family of Mr. William Rose, who reside at Saunderstown, near the South Ferry, are subject to the consumption, several members of the family having died of the disease, and one member of the family is now quite low with it. At the urgent request of the sick man the father, assisted by Charles Harrington, of North Kingston, repaired to the family burying-ground, which is located near Watson's Corner, one mile north of Peacedale, and after building a fire first dug up the grave of his son, who had been buried twelve years, for the purpose of taking out his heart and liver, which were to be placed in the fire and consumed, in order to carry out the old superstition that the consumptive dead draw nourishment from the living. But as the body was entirely reduced to ashes, except a few bones, it was shortly covered up, and the body of a daughter who had been dead seven years was taken up out of the grave beside her brother. This body was found to be nearly wasted away, except the vital parts, the liver and heart which were in a perfect state of preservation. The coffin also was nearly perfect, while the son's coffin was nearly demolished. After the heart and liver had been taken out of the body, it was placed in the fire and consumed, the ashes only being put back in the grave. The fire was then put out and the two men departed to their respective homes. Only a few spectators were present to witness the horrible scene. It seems that this is not the first time that graves have been dug up where consumption was prevalent in the family, and the vital parts burned, in order to save the living. A few years ago the same was done in the village of Moorsfield, and also in the town of North Kingstown, both of course without success.

DOING THE FAIRS.

New-York Swindlers in the Rural Districts—Fleecing the Countrymen—Rascals Who Have Regular Circuits.

From Our Own Correspondent.

AMENIA, Friday, Sept. 6, 1872.

Three or four years ago the annual fairs in all counties on the Hudson River, and also throughout the State, were always infested by three-card monte men who swarmed the grounds in every direction and fleeced countrymen right and left. So brazen and shamefaced did they become that finally public sentiment demanded that they should be driven off. They have slunk away before the popular clamor, but now the same swindlers have started a new game and thus far every fair ground this season has swarmed with them. Now, instead of throwing three cards they have adopted the prize envelope swindle, and by it rob unsuspecting people by the thousand. On the Amenia fair grounds, on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday of this week, no less than twelve of the swindlers were at work at one time, and one of them boldly asserted that they averaged one hundred dollars per day each. Each has a trunk or box filled with small cakes of soap and boxes of envelopes. On the lid of the trunk, which is turned up, are rows of figures, and under each one of the majority of figures are the figures, fifty cents, one dollar, three dollars, five dollars —signifying that, if the person purchasing an envelope finds a number inside which corresponds with the number over the fifty cents, one dollar, three dollars, or five dollars, he is entitled to the sum underneath it. It is, perhaps, unnecessary to state that, in nine cases out of ten, a successful number is not drawn. When, however, interest in the game lags, because of the failure of almost every one to draw a prize, the boss swindler gives a wink, and a confederate steps up to the box. He hesitates and stammers, and acts green, but finally hands over fifty cents, and, to his feigned surprise, draws a three-dollar bill. This confederate is attired, as are all the confederates, in a loose, shuffling manner, with tattered straw hat and heavy dust-begrimed shoes, torn coat, and pants, looking for all the world like a green mountaineer. A close observer, however, by peering cautiously under the brim of the hat, will not fail to notice the villainous countenance and the piercing, thieving eye of the scoundrel as he does his dirty work. "You see that soap man there," said one of them to us as we stood looking at the swindlers on the Amenia Fair ground. "That fellow is the 'gamiest' man you ever saw. He had an ear bit off in Reddy the Blacksmith's saloon. He is making a pile of money here today."

And so he was. Even while we were looking at him he had three colored men before him, to all appearances farm hands, and from the three he took $27, and they did not get a cent. The voices of the scoundrels, as they jabbered away for customers, could be heard above everything else, and, as they had located themselves along the principal thoroughfares leading from the main gateway to Floral Hall and the race-track every person who came to the Fair was obliged to crowd his or her way through the dupes and confederates who thronged their stands. For two days they held full sway, and their grand total receipts almost equaled the receipts of the whole Fair. At last, on the third day, so great did the nuisance become that it attracted the attention of the managers of the Exhibition. Senator Palmer, President Barney Bartram, Secretary William Bartlett and others held a consultation on the subject, which resulted in an order being given to the Police to clear the rascals off the ground. Each one was notified in turn, and though the order was received sullenly and with countenances that boded evil, they did not dare to make open resistance. The indignation of the honest farmers had been aroused, and had the swindlers resisted, they would have been lodged in the County jail. Every one of them had a list of New-York State Fairs in his pocket, and during the Fall fair grounds will be flooded with them. Their present game is infinitely worse and more seductive than three-card monte, hence the victims are more numerous. This is a fair business swindling to many agricultural exhibitions. Already the thieves are making their arrangements to visit other grounds, and if they are not brought up soon with a round turn, they will before the snow flies rob the farmers and farmers' sons of New-York State of thousands upon thousands of dollars. It is the duty of fair managers seriously to head them off by refusing them admission on fair grounds. There should be no half-way work about it, and any board of managers that allows them admission should be held up to public censure. Now is the time to nip the whole thing in the bud, as the fairs generally have just commenced.

THE WISCONSIN POISONER.

An Awful Story, if True—A Woman Accused of Poisoning Five Persons—Her Arrest.

From the Hudson (Wis.) Times, Aug. 30.

Judge Hough, of Prescott, District-Attorney for Pierce County, furnishes us the following particulars of several terrible cases of poisoning in Trimbelle, Pierce County:

The person charged with the crimes is Mrs. Charlotte Lamb, and the history of her alleged operations we give as accurately as possible. In September, 1871, Mrs. Lamb's husband was taken violently sick, complaining of severe pains in his stomach, and in half an hour was dead. It is now stated by those who saw him before his death, that he showed symptoms of having been poisoned, but nothing was said about it, and the matter dropped. In May of this year, a son of Mrs. Lamb, aged ten years, was taken sick in a manner similar to his father, and in less than an hour was dead. In June a daughter of Mrs. Lamb, eight years of age, died very suddenly, and with symptoms resembling those of her father and brother.

Last month Mrs. Jane Ottman, a neighbor living near Mrs. Lamb, went over to Mrs. Lamb's house to get a pail of water. On her return she complained of violent pains in her stomach. She vomited freely, and felt somewhat relieved, but her husband, being alarmed, sent to Prescott for Dr. Cotton. The doctor went out and made a prescription, leaving a couple of powders, to be taken under certain circumstances. After the doctor left, Mrs. Lamb, who was at Mrs. Ottman's, assisting in caring for her, suggested that one of the powders be administered, and, Mrs. Ottman acquiescing, Mrs. Lamb went into the pantry and prepared it, and it was taken. Immediately Mrs. Ottman complained of violent pains again, such as those complained of before, and in a few minutes was dead.

Last week, Royal Garland, also a neighbor of Mrs. Lamb's, died under circumstances alike suspicious with the deaths mentioned. Mrs. Lamb cooked for Mr. Garland during harvest. On the day of Mr. Garland's death, Mrs. Lamb was there as usual. There was a large crew of harvest hands. At dinner Mrs. Lamb waited upon the table. During the meal she said: "Why, Royal, I forgot to give you any tea." She went into the pantry, where she remained a short time, brought out a cup and filled it with tea from the teapot which was standing on the stove. Mr. Garland drank the tea, and shortly complained of severe pains in his stomach. However, he went to the field with the other men, but was so sick that he was taken immediately to the house, and in a few minutes was dead.

Such an array of suspicious circumstances caused the arrest of the woman. She is now confined in jail at Ellsworth, and is to be examined at River Falls on the 5th of September.

The stomach was taken out of the body of Mr. Garland and sent to Dr. Hoyt, of this city, to be analyzed. We learn that the doctor has found poison in the stomach. The bodies of the other victims have been disinterred and the stomachs taken out, and are now in Dr. Hoyt's hands for analysis.

After Mrs. Lamb was arrested her house was searched. In a bureau drawer a bottle was found said to contain strychnine and a paper said to contain arsenic. As to the motives that actuated this woman to her terrible crimes, we are left only to conjecture. Of course all sorts of rumors are afloat. It is said, but we do not know with how much truth, that Mrs. Lamb has repeatedly expressed a desire and intention to get title to the farm on which she lived, and that by poisoning her husband and children she hoped to do so. It is also said that she has often expressed her strong dislike to Mrs. Ottman. We have heard of no reason being assigned for poisoning Mr. Garland.

The Working Men's Union—Withdrawal of Typographical Union No. 6.

A meeting of the Working Men's Union was held last evening, Mr. Peter Daly presiding. The Financial Secretary reported the receipts for the preceding six months at $155. The reports from the different trades being in order, the delegate from the Shipjoiners' Union reported that at Sigel's shop, in East Fifth-street, the men were working ten hours; and Mr. Woods, one of the delegates from Typographical Union No. 6, reported the withdrawal of this Society, which is 2,300 strong, from the Union, on account of the recent passage of an amendment to the constitution requiring every member to pay twenty-five cents per week during each strike. The matter was laid over for a month, and a committee of three appointed to wait upon Typographical Union No. 6 to urge them to reconsider their action. Mr. Nolan, of the Carpenter's Union, stated that Messrs. Duke & Geary, builders, of East Sixth-street, were working their men ten hours; and a committee of seven was appointed to wait upon the various political central committees to inform them that, if Mr. Duke runs for Alderman this year, as it is said he intends doing, the working men will not vote for him.

THE EXCURSION TODAY.

Programme of Arrangements—The Close of the Season—The Fund Work Ended.

Today the eighteenth and last excursion will take place. The children will be taken from the lower and up-town portions of the City, the bulk of the excursionists coming from Yorkville. At 8 o'clock the barge Sarah Smith will start from the foot of Franklin-street, North River, and having received a portion of the children, will proceed to the East River, stopping at Twenty-eighth, Fifty-third and Eighty-sixth streets, where various bodies of children will embark. When all the children are on board, the party will proceed to Oriental Grove, on Long Island. The usual ample stock of provisions will be dispensed, consisting of sandwiches, cake, milk, lemonade and ice-cream. The Governor's Island Band will afford the music for the occasion, and Punch and Judy will be in attendance. Should the day prove fine, this last excursion of the season will doubtless be numerously attended, and will form a pleasing conclusion to our labors in affording the poor children of the City some days of pleasure. The following contributions to the fund were received yesterday:

Juvenile weed-pullers	$2 00
Lizzie	50
Total	$2 50
Previously acknowledged	19,237 90
Aggregate of fund	$19,240 40

Fire on Jersey City Heights—A Sash and Blind Factory Destroyed—Loss About $10,000.

At 7½ o'clock last evening a fire broke out in Hollingshead Brothers' sash and blind manufactory, on Griffith-street, Jersey City heights. An alarm was given from box No. 46, but the fire had obtained such headway before the arrival of the Department apparatus that it was impossible to save the factory. The flying sparks set fire to several frame tenement-houses on the opposite side of the street, but the flames were subdued without material damage to the houses. The factory, upon which there was no insurance, was burnt to the ground, the loss being $8,000. A tenement-house destroyed was valued at $750 and was fully insured. The damage to the other buildings will probably in the aggregate amount to $1,500, fully insured. The cause of the fire is unknown. At 9 o'clock the fire was fully under control.

A Fourth Ward Fight.

The culpable negligence of the Fourth Precinct Police was shown again yesterday in the subjoined case: The following indefinite dispatch was sent to the Central Office from the Fourth Precinct: "Pat Welch and Jeremiah Kirby got in a quarrel in Pat Derrin's liquor-store 12:50 P. M. Welch beat about the head by Kirby seriously. Kirby arrested. Welch sent to Park Hospital insensible." This dispatch fails to give the location of the store, or occupations or residences of the parties. The facts in the case are that Divver, an officer of the Court of General Sessions, keeps a liquor-store at the corner of New Chambers and Pearl streets, and Kirby is one of his gang of followers. Walsh, whose real name is Spiliane, keeps a news-stand in the New Bowery. The factions had a fight on Thursday night, and the affray between Spiliane and Kirby followed as a consequence of a political dispute.

Base-Ball and Cricket.

At Baltimore, yesterday, the Baltimore nine again defeated the Brooklyn Atlantics, the score on this occasion being 18 to 6.

Today the Mutuals and Bostons play the seventh of their series of games on the Union Grounds, Williamsburg. On Monday the Bostons meet the Athletics at Philadelphia. The Manhattan Cricket Club will play a one-day match with the Staten Island eleven, on the Hoboken Grounds, on the 11th inst.

Departures for Europe.

The following passengers left this port yesterday for Europe:

Per steam-ship Calabria, for Liverpool—Jno. Alexander, S. A. Samanos, Sir John F. Grant and servant, Miss A. Coleman, Mrs. G. W. Simmons, Jr., Miss S. M. Simmons, James Brett Baily, G. W. Simmons, Jr., two Misses Baily, Rev. J. B. Smith and wife, H. A. Lowe, J. C. Chatworthy, H. Smith, J. A. Greenes, Miss M. Chamberlain, Walter V. Williams, C. Tower, Jr., Mrs. and Miss Washburn.

City Meteorological Report.

The following observations show the temperature, &c., for the past twenty-four hours, as recorded by Schultz & Warker, at the Central Park Mineral Springs:

	7 A. M.	12 M.	3 P. M.	6 P.M.
Temperature	70	76	73	71
Stand of bar. in inch	29.84	29.57		29.87

The following record will show the changes in the temperature, yesterday, with the average for the same, as indicated by the thermometer at Dickinson's drug-store, No. 3 Park-row: 3 A. M., 64°; 6 A. M., 63°; 9 A. M., 65°; 12 M., 68°; 3 P. M., 76°; 6 P. M., 72°; 9 P. M., 70°; 12 P. M., 68°. Average temperature yesterday, 68¾°.

Brooklyn Mortality.

There were 231 deaths in Brooklyn during the week ending Aug. 31, being 80 less than the week previous, and 31 less than the corresponding week last year. Among the causes were: Small-pox, 1, being 2 less than the previous week; cerebro-spinal meningitis, 3, same as the week previous; cholera infantum, 45, a decrease of 27 on the week before; cholera morbus, 3; diarrhea, 14; marasmus, 32; consumption, 18; convulsions, 18.

Payments by the Controller.

Controller Green paid yesterday the Police Department:

On account of appropriation for street-cleaning.....$100,000
Department of Public Parks for uses of that Department.....20,000

NEW-YORK AND SUBURBAN NEWS.

NEW-YORK.

Yesterday a deputation of Boston Aldermen visited the City Hall and new Court-house.

Thomas Cahill, an inmate of the Charity Hospital, was found drowned at the foot of Twenty-fifth-street, East River, yesterday.

The body of an unknown man was found drowned in the dock at the foot of Pier No. 17, East River, yesterday morning.

We are indebted to Purser R. W. Albert, of the Havana steam-ship Morro Castle, for the prompt delivery at this office of our Cuban correspondence and newspapers.

Hon. Henry Ruggles, United States Consul to Spain, sails today, accompanied by his son, for Europe, on board the Oceanic, of the White Star line.

The Department of Public Parks announce that if the weather is fine there will be music by the Central Park Band on the Mall at the Central Park today, commencing at 4 P. M.

Capt. Oaro B. Freeman fell into the hold of the ship Susan Howland, which he commanded, on the 2d inst., and fractured his skull. He was taken to the Park Hospital, where he died yesterday morning.

The fines imposed on the members of the Police force during the month of August amounted to $1,927—equal to 588 days, being $465 48, or 182 days, less than the previous month.

During a fight in Washington Market, last night, Denis Guilfogle, of No. 37 Hudson-street, stabbed John McCue, of No. 148 West-street, in the head with an oyster-knife, wounding him severely. Guilfogle was arrested.

The Department of Public Works reports that the number of bathers at the two public baths, during the month of August, was 181,861, of which 40,646 were females. The largest number of bathers on any one day was 10,671, on Thursday, Aug. 22.

During a fight in a lager-beer saloon in Bayard-street, yesterday morning, John Dwyer, aged thirty, of No. 25 Bayard-street, was struck on the head with a glass by Bernard Rader, and seriously injured. Dwyer was taken to his home and his assailant escaped.

The stated meeting of the Board of Managers of the American Bible Society was held at the Bible House, Astor-place, on Thursday. The decease of George D. Phelps, Esq., one of the oldest managers, was announced. Four new auxiliaries were recognized, of which two are in North Carolina, and one in each of the States of Iowa and Michigan. Various communications were presented and grants of books made.

The examination in the case of M. Ehlander, a fugitive from justice, charged with having stolen 6,000 rix dollars from the Swedish Government while holding a position of trust in the City of Landscrona, was continued before Commissioner Osborne yesterday. The question as to the legality of the extradition of the prisoner, was argued by Mr. J. D. Rymest, of counsel for the prisoner, and Mr. G. H. Foster, representing the Swedish Government. The matter was adjourned to Wednesday.

BROOKLYN.

The Kings County Industrial Fair is to be opened on the 30th inst.

Rev. Dr. Talmage, of the Brooklyn Tabernacle, will resume his preaching service tomorrow.

The Water Department yesterday refused to grant free water to the Quarantine boats. They will be charged regular rates.

Wm. Connolly, charged with assisting a prisoner to escape from the prison van, was sentenced, yesterday, to one year's imprisonment in the Penitentiary.

The Mayor yesterday signed $100,000 worth of certificates of indebtedness for arrears of taxes—$40,000 payable Sept. 3, 1874; $35,000 payable Sept. 3, 1875, and $25,000 payable the same year.

Charges of unwarrantable use of the club were investigated yesterday by the Police Commissioners against Officers Thomas Earley and Richard McGann, of the Third Sub-Precinct. The latter was fined three days' pay, and Earley's case was referred to a full Board.

The order issued by the Police Board, some time ago, forbidding Police Captains taking prisoners to the Police Courts for bail, at any other than the regular Court hours, is resisted by the Police Justices. Commissioner Kaufman's opinion is to be had in the matter.

James Johnson, colored, aged fifty years, was found, early yesterday morning, lying insensible in the yard at the rear of Harway & Co.'s dyewood mills, foot of Green-street. It is supposed that he fell from the second-story window while asleep. He was conveyed to the Seventh Precinct Station-house, where he died before medical aid could be had.

H. H. Hahn, the groceryman who was murderously assaulted with a cart-hook in the hands of George D. Thurston, a Fleshing-avenue car-driver, Thursday night, is very low. His physician will allow no one to see him. When Thurston was arrested he gave his name as David Dowler, and pretended ignorance of the affair. He had packed up his things and was just about to leave the city.

WESTCHESTER COUNTY.

The American Methodist Episcopal Church edifice, Ellis-place, Sing Sing, has been sold to George A. Brandreth, Esq.

Mr. Justice Brown, of Morrisania, is a member of the Board of Excise. Some short time since, in view of the expiration of the then existing licenses, a number of liquor-dealers of the district were waited on by the Justice, and he succeeded in collecting $660 toward the payment of renewed permits, but he failed to lodge that amount to the credit of the Board. Summonses were about being issued against the defaulters, as it is claimed the payment to the Justice was not legal, and therefore the parties are selling liquor without a license. A test case has now been taken up, and will soon be tried. Meantime the victims of the Justice keep their stores open and sell under the old license; they intend to contest the matter, and will spare no expense to establish the legality of the payment to the Justice.

LONG ISLAND.

Rev. J. B. Griswold, of Brooklyn, has accepted the call of the Presbyterian Church of Port Jefferson, and will become its pastor.

The Methodist Episcopal Association of Eastern Long Island meets at Bridgehampton, Wednesday.

A Liberal Republican Convention, for the nomination of county officers, will be held at Riverhead, Suffolk County, Tuesday evening, Sept. 17.

The Deer Park Post-office has been discontinued, no person being found willing to perform the duties for the salary allowed. Matter intended for that place should be sent to Brentwood.

NEW-JERSEY.

There are 200 prisoners in the Essex County Jail, 100 more than the Jail was designed to accommodate.

Yesterday morning the examination of Kingsland, the bank defaulter, was again postponed until the 20th inst.

The system of learning female scholars trades has been inaugurated in St. Peter's Roman Catholic School.

Miss Maggie Barker, a Jersey City music teacher, and one of the passengers of the Bienville, arrived home all right yesterday morning.

The members of the Atlantic Boat Club will have a rowing match off the Elysian Fields, today, at 3 P. M.

Louisa Cisco, the colored girl who killed her infant on the 10th of April, at Park Ridge, has been convicted of manslaughter.

Chief of Police Whitney, of Bayonne, who was bitten in the hand by a prisoner recently, will have to have the injured member amputated.

On Wednesday next, the Star Base-ball Club, of Jersey City, will play the Olympics, of Brooklyn, on the Champions' ground, in the former city.

A boat containing five Jersey City people capsized in the Lower Bay yesterday. They were rescued by a passing sloop. Names unknown.

County Physician Dodd has ordered an inquest upon the body of George H. Mandeville, who was found dead on the area-way of his house, No. 263 Elm-street, Newark.

Sergt. Ringe, of the Hoboken Police, who was arrested on Thursday for interfering with United States Revenue Officials, at the Hamburg Docks, in Hoboken, was admitted to bail by Commissioner Muirheid, in Jersey City, yesterday.

A warrant has been issued for the arrest of Sheriff Reinhardt, on charges preferred by Pound-master Harriot, who charges him with breaking open the pound and releasing therefrom a cow, the property of United States Commissioner Jackson.

Capt. Timpken, of the First Battalion, National Guard State of New-Jersey, who was, in April last, ordered under arrest by Major Hart of the same division, in consequence of an assault committed on the latter, was acquitted by the regimental Court-martial last night.

Chicago Cattle Market.

CHICAGO, Sept. 6.—Cattle—Receipts, 3,280 head; market extremely dull, and the pens at the close were filled with unsold stock; prices fully 10c. lower, though the sales were very light: a small lot of choice 1,350-lb. Steers brought $6 37½; a few fair to good light Steers, $5 25@5 55; a lot of 127 head of choice 1,236-lb. Steers sold at $5 25: common to extra Stockers, $3 75@4 87: Texans, $2 50@3 87: shipments, 722 head. Hogs—Receipts, 4,080 head; market dull and lower at $4 50@4 70, closing weak, with full pens; receipts, 7,150 head. Sheep—Receipts, 432 head: market active and higher at $4 50@5 25 for fair to choice.

[Advertisement.]

BOOK-KEEPING is well enough as a means of education and discipline to fit one for "business," but no young man with fair abilities should remain at the desk longer than necessary to give him a knowledge of accounts. Then he should "switch off" on another road, and try his hand in another interest. A careful phrenologist can tell him what he can do best, and put him on the right track. Written charts are given daily at No. 389 Broadway.

[Advertisement.]

GREELEY, GRANT, OR BOURBON STRAIGHT.—Whatever your politics may be, don't forget that you can buy your Hats at KNOX'S, No. 212 Broadway. He has just introduced his Fall style, and it is a beauty.

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MILLIONS of gallons of DENSLOW & BUSH'S "Premium Safety" Oil are annually sold, and no accident has ever occurred from its use.

Closing of Foreign Mails at Post-Office.

SATURDAY.

For Europe, via Queenstown, by the City of Paris, at 5 A. M....For Europe, via Southampton and Bremen, by the Weser, at 11

AFFAIRS IN FRANCE.

General Tranquillity—Working Men in the Old and in the New World—Restoring the Capital—The Rule of M. Thiers—The Harvest—The Latest Trial.

From Our Own Correspondent.

PARIS, Friday, Aug. 23, 1872.

The period of remarkable tranquillity which Paris is now enjoying is mainly due to the fact that the working people are busily employed. From the time Baron Haussmann's improvements were stopped down to a month or so ago, great agitation has reigned among the laboring classes. One hundred and fifty thousand stone-cutters, masons, plasterers and painters were kept constantly employed upon new buildings, and when so large a number of men are thrown out of employ one may look for mischief with tolerable certainty. If these workmen had been engaged upon something, no matter what, as soon as the gates of Paris were opened, there would have been no Commune. It was the duty of the Government to provide for them in some way, for upon the Continent a Government must be more or less paternal in its character. Very probably this statement will be energetically denied by nine out of every ten Americans who have never been abroad, and because they really cannot see the necessity. The error lies in judging other peoples by our own standards. A story is told of an American who found himself in great distress, and, when absolutely on the point of starving, he applied to a rich man, not for help, but for work. Wishing to do something for him, the rich man engaged him, and, taking him into a field, set him to moving a pile of stones from one side to the other. He worked with all his might at the task. Within twenty-four hours, to the great surprise of his patron, he came for new orders, and was told to move the stones back again to where he had found them. Now, any foreign laborer would have done so, and would have taken a week to do it, but the American flatly refused. His pride was touched. If there was no useful work for him to do, he would look elsewhere, and this manner of employing him was no more nor less than charity. Such is the feeling among Americans as a nation; they must be employed upon something of manifest utility. The aim of Continental laborers is to make out their day and to get their wage, for not one in a hundred really cares what he is set to do. Naturally, therefore, laborers here are far more slow than with us. It takes them a very long time to do the simplest piece of work, and although their wages are less per diem, the sum total to the contractor amounts to pretty much the same thing as with us. We are now in the midst of the season when the plasterers and painters "touch up our houses," and not only in my own case, but in those of my neighbors, I have had opportunities for comparing French workmen with American. The slowness here puts one quite out of patience. Workmen do not hesitate to say that it is against their interest to hurry, for during the Winter they look for no great amount of work, and must stretch out their Summer repairs as far as possible. During the vacation, while families are at watering-places or in the country, their houses are cleaned, washed outside and papered and painted within. This work is now giving employment to the thousands of workmen who otherwise would talk politics in the cafés, and keeping them quiet for the moment. If M. Thiers is wise—and I think no man understands the matter better—he will begin at once upon the work left by Baron Haussmann, and put hundreds of men at work upon the buildings destroyed by the Commune. Measures have been already taken for a certain amount of work, but I do not know exactly how much. Many of the old streets have been repaved; the Hotel de Ville, the Finances and the Legion d'Honneur are to be rebuilt, and I am told that the Place Château d'Eau is to be remodeled. The two hundred millions special indemnity which the Germans exacted from the City of Paris is to be repaid by the General Government, provided the Prefect of the Seine and the Mayor will get the Council to expend an equal sum—two millions—in rebuilding the houses destroyed by the bombardment. This shows that the *ouvriers* are not forgotten, and it would be dangerous to neglect them while the memory of Napoleon III. is fresh in their minds. Whatever else may be said of him, all confess that the Emperor provided well for the workmen of Paris.

THE RULE OF M. THIERS.

M. Thiers wishes it distinctly understood that he is master in France. Three young men will not be likely to forget it. Yesterday the Agence Havas brought us the following dispatch:

VERSAILLES, Aug. 22.

The brothers Errazu, who cried Vive l'Empereur at Trouville, have received orders to quit the soil of France.

To this the *Liberté* adds:

"M. Thiers signed this morning the order of expulsion from French territory issued against the two brothers Errazu. They will be allowed a few days to put their affairs in order and to quit France, with their families. The Russian subjects, M. Euphrussy comprised, will not be prosecuted."

You can well understand why a certain number of journals of yesterday evening refused to credit this piece of news. It was important enough, however, to make them send reporters to Versailles, and it was then found that the information was correct as given by the *Liberté*, and that M. Thiers had really signed the order. The cruelty and malice comprised in the words italicised can only be appreciated after knowing the whole story. The two brothers in question are aged eighteen and twenty-one, and their families, therefore, mean their mother and sisters and cousins. The Errazus are Mexicans of enormous wealth, and chief owners of a silver mine. For thirty years the family has resided in Paris. During the Empire the revenues of the family were expended with princely munificence, and few ladies have given so much in charity as Mme. Errazu. Her magnificent hotel was always open, and her receptions were royal in almost every way. She had one thousand poor upon her charity list, she founded a hospital, and her name was seen at the head of every charity subscription against a very large figure. Instead of hoarding, as many of the large and important banking families do, the Errazus spent the greater portion of their annual revenues in France. Since the war the young men have begun to spend on their own account, and they were already much in vogue in high circles. They went to Trouville, and on the 15th the brothers were invited on board M. Euphrussy's yacht. After a cruise along the English coast, they came back, dining near Trouville, and going on shore full of champagne and very light in the head. It was an error that they cried in the presence of M. Thiers. The President was then at the Villa Cordier. The young men came on shore, and, arm in arm, staggered up the street. The Errazus shouted, "*Vive l'Empereur! à bas Thiers!*" and hurrahed for the fête Napoleon, the 15th August. A policeman told them to hush, and they did so, but some fishermen had been attracted, and, hoping to gain something by an attack upon the "aristos," began to hoot them. To prevent disturbance, they were arrested. The Magistrate before whom they were taken—as very often happens, wiser than his prince—released the gay party with an admonition, which was taken to heart. When M. Thiers heard of the cry, he flew into a passion. He had known how to put down the Commune—he had suppressed the disorders in the north, and he should know how to make himself respected by the men in broadcloth. He ordered the young men to be rearrested, and the Commissaire who had released them to be disgraced. The Procureur-Général protested against this measure, and sustained the Magistrate so strongly that M. Thiers commuted his penalty to banishment from Trouville. He was sent elsewhere. Prince Orloff came promptly to plead for his countrymen, and gained his cause. M. Pouyer-Quertier came to plead for the young de Valion, but the President was inexorable. He is to be prosecuted in the Police Courts. The Comte de Vallon was private secretary to M. Pouyer-Quertier, his relative, the daughter of the late Minister of Finance being the Marquise de la Rochelambert and the Comtesse de Lambertye. M. de Vallon is also the nephew of the Princess de la Moskowa, and of the Countess de la Poëze, formerly ladies of honor to the Empress. These facts explain the President's severity, for all of these persons were prominent members of the Imperial Court. M. Thiers has the right to order the Errazus from France, they being foreigners, but to include the family in the order is both unjustifiable and cruel. Efforts are being made to get the latter part of the order countermanded, but it is said that M. Thiers flies into a passion every time the subject is brought up before him, and wants it distinctly understood that he is master in France.

THE HARVEST.

Never within the memory of those now living was the harvest in France so fine and so aoundant. The wheat crop has been garnered, the yield being about a third more than usual. I thought that we had tolerably good wheat in some sections of Virginia, but never in my life did I see anything to equal the rich, golden fields of France this year. They were beautiful beyond expression—at least to a countryman like myself, and one reared to regard the prosperity of the year to come across our fields of wheat. A good harvest among farmer-folk means riches and ease. With the present crops the French can pay their taxes with less hardship—a great thing for the Republic. Ordinarily a certain amount of breadstuffs has to be imported into France—generally from the Black Sea—in order to meet the yearly consumption. This year there will be enough at home, with a little to spare.

THE LATEST TRIAL.

The trial is now going on of the men who stole the cannon from the Fort of Vincennes. I sent you an acebount of the affair at the time. It does seem incredible that a few men could steal the guns from a garrisoned fort, yet such was actually the case, the thieves taking the cannon off their carriages and throwing them over the ramparts into the ditch, twenty-five feet wide and ten deep. They added insult to injury by taking advantage of a moment when the whole garrison was asleep and the sentinel taking his "forty winks" in his usual sleeping corner. This was as mean as stealing the coppers from a dead man's eyes to cheat Charon of his fees. Seeing that the sentinels slept very soundly all night under the arch of the gate-way, the thieves mounted the fortress and threw over the cannon. They were then pulled out of the ditch by ropes, six men assisting, and hurried away the same night. Two were found; two were sold for three hundred francs each. These were traced to a foundry where a suspicious lot of metal was then being puddled, but as the officers could not swear to his guns in their condition at that moment, the police had to wait for further evidence. They counted on a confession, and began to put the suspected parties "to the question," (modern French style, but quite as successful as the old style of the Inquisition,) and in a few weeks worked out the case. Meantime, however, the silence of the police gave rise to many stories in the Press. Prince Bismarck was said to have been the instigator and the thieves German emissaries. As this theory was eminently successful with the crowd, all the Germans about Vincennes made a prudent retreat, and they were wise. "If any one were to accuse me of stealing the towers of Notre Dame," says Rabelais. "I should begin my defense by putting the English Channel between me and my accusers." From a safe distance the Germans denied having stolen the cannon from the fortress of Vincennes. The real culprits were soon found, and they are now on trial for a crime which is, perhaps, unique in criminal records.

ASHBY.

CREMONA FIDDLES.

The Romance of a Dealer—Tarisio and His Discovery.

Mr. Charles Reade, in an article in the *Pall Mall Gazette* under the above head, writes with the subcaption, "The Romance of Fiddle-dealing."

"Nearly fifty years ago a gaunt Italian called Luigi Tarisio arrived in Paris one day with a lot of old Italian instruments by makers whose names were hardly known. The principal dealers whose minds were narrowed, as is often the case, to three or four masters, would not deal with him. M. Georges Chanot, younger and more intelligent, purchased largely, and encouraged him to return. He came back next year with a better lot; and yearly increasing his funds, he flew at the highest game; and in the course of thirty years imported nearly all the finest specimens of Stradivarius and Guarnerius France possesses. He was the greatest connoisseur that ever lived or ever can live, because he had the true mind of a connoisseur and vast opportunities. He ransacked Italy before the tickets in the violins of Francesco Stradiuarius, Alexandro Gagliano, Lorenzo Guadagnini, Giofredus Cappa, Gobetti, Morgiato Morella, Antonio Mariani, Santo Magini, and Matteo Benti, of Brescia, Michael Angelo Bergonzi, Montagnana, Thomas Balestrieri, Storioni, Vicenzo Rugger, the Testori, Petrus Guarnerius, of Venice, and full fifty more, had been tampered with, that every brilliant masterpiece might be assigned to some popular name. To his immortal credit, he fought against this mania, and his motto was "*A tout seigneur tout honneur.*" The man's whole soul was in fiddles. He was a great dealer, but a greater amateur. He had gems by him no money would buy from him. No 91 was one of them. But for his death you would never have cast eyes on it. He has often talked to me of it; but he would never let me see it, for fear I should tempt him.

Well, one day George Chanot, Sr., who is, perhaps, the best judge of violins left, now Tarisio is gone, made an excursion to Spain to see if he could find anything there. He found mighty little. But, coming to the shop of a fiddle-maker, one Ortega, he saw the belly of an old bass hung up with other things. Chanot rubbed his eyes and asked himself was he dreaming. The belly of a Stradiuarius bass roasting in a shop-window! He went in, and very soon bought it for about forty francs. He then ascertained that the bass belonged to a lady of rank. The belly was full of cracks; so, not to make two bites of a cherry, Ortega had made a nice new one. Chanot carried this precious fragment home and hung it up in his shop, but not in the window, for he is too good a judge not to know the sun will take all the color out of that maker's varnish. Tarisio came in from Italy, and his eye lighted instantly on the Stradiuarius belly. He pestered Chanot till the latter sold it him for 4,000 francs, and told him where the rest was. Tarisio no sooner knew this than he flew to Madrid. He learned from Ortega where the lady lived, and called on her to see it. 'Sir,' says the lady, 'it is at your disposition.' That does not mean much in Spain. When he offered to buy it she objected with him, said it had been long in her family; money could not replace a thing of that kind, and, in short, she put on the screw, as she thought, and sold it him for about 4,000 francs. What he did with the Ortega belly is not known—perhaps sold it to some person in the tooth-pick trade. He sailed exultant for Paris with the Spanish bass in a case. He never let it out of his sight. The pair were caught by a storm in the Bay of Biscay. The ship rolled; Tarisio clasped his bass tight, and trembled. It was a terrible gale, and for one whole day they were in real danger. Tarisio spoke of it to me with a shudder. I will give you his real words, for they struck me at the time, and I have often thought of them since:

'Ah, my poor Mr. Reade, the bass of Spain was all but lost.'

Was not this a true connoisseur? a genuine enthusiast? Observe: there was also an ephemeral insect called Luigi Tarisio, who would have gone down with the bass, but that made no impression on his mind. *De minimis non curat Ludovicus.*

He got safe to Paris. A certain high priest in these matters, called Vuillaume, with the help of a sacred vessel, called the glue-pot, soon rewedded the back and sides to the belly, and the bass being now just what it was when the ruffian Ortega put his finger in the pie, was sold for 20,000 francs.

I saw the Spanish bass in Paris twenty-two years ago, and you can see it any day this month you like; for it is the identical violoncello now on show at Kensington, numbered 188. Who would divine its separate adventures, to see it all reposing so calm and uniform in that case—'*Post tot naufragia tutus.*'"

The Kings County Veterans.

The following call has just been issued by the subscribers:

Veterans of the War for the Union, residing in the County of Kings:

COMRADES: In pursuance of a resolution adopted by the State Central Committee of Soldiers and Sailors, at the meeting held at the Fifth-avenue Hotel), in New-York City, Aug. 31, 1872, authorizing the members of the Committee to call meetings in their respective Congressional districts, for the purpose of enrolling all veterans, as delegates, desiring to attend the National Mass-Convention of Soldiers and Sailors, to be held at Pittsburg, Sept. 17th, inst.

Therefore, in obedience to such direction and authority, we, the undersigned, members of said committee, do hereby request the soldiers and sailors of this county to assemble in their respective wards and towns, before September 12, and take such action as will insure the attendance at the Convention of a representation from each ward and town.

The Convention to be held at Pittsburg being a mass-meeting of all veterans who favor the election of the candidates of the National Republican Party, the number of delegates to which each ward and town shall be entitled is unlimited. The persons thus designated by the ward and town organizations are respectfully invited to meet the members of the State Central Committee at the rooms of the War Veterans' Union Club, south-east corner of Court and Joralemon streets, on Thursday evening, Sept. 12, at 8 o'clock, when information concerning transportation, cost of trip, place of rendezvous, &c., will be communicated.

Arrangements have been made with the Pennsylvania Central Railroad Company by which excursion tickets for the round trip can be obtained for $10.

W. A. ROWAN,
E. C. PARKINSON,
H. W. HUGHES,

Members Veteran State Central Committee of Second, Third and Fourth Congressional Districts.

FOREIGN ITEMS.

This year's military manœuvres in Italy will take place in the vicinity of the Ticino, and part of the operations will be a passage of the river by pontoons. The King will be at Arona in order to witness them.

The death is announced of William Miller, the "nursery poet." Born in Parkhead, England, in August, 1810, William Miller spent his earliest days in the village, and thereafter resided in Glasgow.

The sale by auction took place on Aug. 20, of the right of property in the literary and dramatic works of the late Alexandre Dumas, in two lots. Each had been put up at the price of 15,000 francs, and an advance of fifty francs was made in both cases, and no more. Consequently, the whole was adjudicated for 30,100 francs.

A bottle has been picked up near Dunbar containing a paper, on which the following is written: "The ship Carrondelet, middle of the German Ocean, Aug. 3, 1872.—This ship is sinking fast. If ever this get to shore, whoever finds it will please to let it be known this sunk with twenty-one hands on board. She is going now. Herr Ingian, a native of Hamburg."

Warning has been given by the English Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, through the Emigration Commissioners, that persons purposing to emigrate to the Welsh settlement on the Chaput River in Patagonia should refrain—the accounts from the settlement being very unsatisfactory, so much so, indeed, as to recall the privations suffered in the same regions by the Portuguese and other settlers centuries ago.

Among the works of art purchased by Catharine II. to ornament the Palace of Taurida, says the *Nordische Presse*, has been found the only piece of sculpture ever executed by Raphael, namely, a marble group representing a child asleep on a dolphin. The plaster copies and engravings of it are well known, but the original, the existence of which at Paris can be traced down to the year 1770, has long since disappeared.

The sale of explosive cigars has recommenced in the streets of Paris in spite of all the precautions taken by the police to prevent these dangerous articles from being offered to the public. The cigars in question appear genuine to the purchaser, but contain a minute squib or cracker, which, when the cigar has been consumed to a certain point, explodes, the cigar itself flying to some distance, from the mouth of the smoker. These cigars are capable of severely wounding those who smoke them.

The death is announced at the mad-house, Salpêtrière, of Mlle. Boisgontier, an actress of Paris, who, at one moment, lived in great splendor. She possessed a silver bath, which she regarded as a sort of fetish, and believed that it secured her good fortune so long as she kept it. One day, however, she sent it to the mint to be coined, and invested the proceeds in five hundbière shares. From that day she began to descend, until she fell into the greatest misery, and finished her days in an hospital.

The *Salut Public*, of Lyons, states that a national subscription is shortly to be opened in that city, and all over France, under the patronage of the Société des Science Industrielles, with the object of proving to the world that Barthélemy Thimonnier, of Arbresle (Rhône) in 1793, is the real inventor of the mechanical sewing-machine; also, in order to collect the funds necessary for the publication of his biography, together with a complete history of the implement; and, finally, to erect a statue to his memory in one of the public squares of Lyons.

Another statement is now being circulated with regard to the operations of the Germans at Belfort. Lately it was said persistently that the troops in occupation were strengthening the distinguished stronghold, with a possible view to keeping it altogether. The new theory is, that the Germans have only been experimenting with the works, and that in reality their aim has been to so far weaken the town of Belfort in such a way as to nullify the effects of the existence of Belfort, when the latter place shall have been handed over again to the French.

A distinguished engineer, who is connected with some of the most honorable families in Italy, has just been arrested at Florence, charged with attempting to murder on a wholesale scale. It appears he was involved in financial troubles, and, with a view to extricate himself by means of the property of his friends, which he expected to inherit, the wretched man tried to poison, by morphine, no fewer than eighteen individuals, among whom were his father, brother, wife, and his own children. The *Gaulois* says he is plainly mad, as it is not possible to believe any one endowed with reason would try to accomplish such a crime.

Carafa, the composer, who died recently, was far from rich. His principal income, according to the *Swiss Times*, was derived from a snuff-box. This snuff-box was given to the author of *La Prison d'Edimbourg* about thirty years ago by Baron James De Rothschild, as a token of esteem. Carafa sold it twenty-four hours later for seventy-five Napoleons to the same jeweler from whom it had been bought. This became known to Rothschild, who gave it again to the musician on the following year. The next day it returned to the jeweler's. This traffic continued till the death of the banker, and longer still, for his sons kept up the tradition to the great satisfaction of Carafa.

A letter from Bucharest reports a curious atmospheric phenomenon which occurred there on the 26th of July, at 8 in the evening. During the day the heat was stifling. The sky was cloudless. In the evening everybody went out walking and the gardens were crowded. The ladies were mostly dressed in white low-necked robes. Toward 8 o'clock a small cloud appeared on the horizon and a quarter of an hour afterward rain began to fall, which, to the joy of everybody, it was found to consist of black worms of the size of an ordinary fly. All the streets were strewn with these curious animals.

The Prussian authorities, observes the *Siècle*, appear determined not to allow the vote of the Reichstag for the expulsion of the Jesuits from Prussian territory to be a dead letter. At Posen the ladies of the Sacré-Cœur, who are considered to be affiliated to the Order, were requested to close the boarding-school established in that town, where all the noble ladies of the country received their education. At Mayence a police agent repaired, on the 14th August, at 7 o'clock in the morning, to the Convent of the Order, and, having assembled the brothers, read to them the law requiring them to abstain from any ecclesiastical act. The head of the convent protested against this interdiction, contending that the civil authorities had no right to interfere with the exercise of religious functions, and denying that the tendencies of the Jesuits were subversive of the laws of the State. In Elsass the Jesuits have also protested, but they have only been able to obtain a prolongation of their stay for two months.

The *National Zeitung* supplies a pleasant picture of Berlin: "The scandals produced in our city a few days ago," it says, "constitute a social phenomenon calling for reflection. The populace of this place is a scum of the worst kind; and the parallel which could be found in other great cities, its most perverse and dangerous instincts being developed from the very earliest age. This mob disturbs the security of the streets, and opposes the greatest obstacles to the maluteuance of order. Berlin, besides, exercises an irresistible attraction on the ruffians, vagabonds and idlers of all Germany. The increase of the population is often vaunted, but the true principle of it is forgotten, namely, that since the new laws, our capital has become the refuge of all the rabble of both sexes in the Empire. The fact is confessed that out of the rioters lately arrested by the police, only one-tenth were natives of Berlin, the others having only arrived since the war. What is wanted is a strong police, and, above all, that the public force should find its support in the strong the more enlightened and reflective classes. But such is not the case, as not unfrequently persons in no way connected with the mob, and having most to suffer from disorder, are found taking the part of the ruffians against the police agents, and aiding the offenders to escape."

On Aug. 21 Messrs. Sotheby, Wilkinson & Hodge sold by auction, in London, about thirty autograph letters of the poet Cowper, addressed to his friend Mr. Rose, of Chancery-lane, between the years 1788 and 1793, when he was busy on his translation of Homer. Many of the letters were full of interesting criticisms on Homer's style, the relative merits of the Odyssey and the Iliad, and occasional notices of the work of his great rival, Pope. Others referred to George Romney, Johnson, Mrs. Unwin, the Throgmortons, and his dog "Beau;" while others dealt with the more prosaic subject of his publisher, the copyright question, and some projected reviews of his translation. A few of the lots fell to private purchasers, though most were bought by Messrs. Waller, realizing prices, in some cases, as high as four pounds four shillings. One of them, containing a sonnet written by Cowper, on behalf of a printer at Leicester, who had got into prison for selling some of Tom Paine's publications, fetched four guineas and a half. Together with the Cowper letters were sold a quantity of original correspondence of George Selwyn, and his contemporaries, Fox, Pitt, Canning, Edmund Burke, Dr. Johnson, Horace Walpole, Lord Erskine, &c., and also an autograph letter of Drake, the great navigator, which was knocked down, after a keen competition, at five guineas.

The London *Art Journal* says: "Another alphabetic treasure has been only very recently discovered on Mount Moriah by M. Clermont-Ganneau. This gentleman has had the good fortune to observe, placed as a tombstone in a Mohammedan cemetery, one of the very tablets which, as we are told by Josephus, Herod the Great erected within the Mountain of the House to warn strangers from setting foot within the *Chel*, or prescribed boundary. The stone, being thus employed, could not be removed; but we have seen an excellent photograph. The letters are clearly cut, about an inch and three-quarters in height. They are perfectly square and upright, without the foot, or *Serif*, which characterizes the Roman capitals, but equal in every respect to the most finished form of Greek capital now used in printing. The beauty of the letters is more remarkable from its contrast with the ruder form of what is called uncial Greek, in the oldest extant manuscripts. The words are undivided by any spaces. The first letter, a Mu, or M, is distinguished by the outward inclination of the upright strokes. It may be said to stand astraddle. It is very remarkable that a *theta* occurs in the first word, instead of the *delta* with which it is now written. *Methena*, instead of *Medena*—no one.

Long telegrams are published about the festivities at Belgrade in connection with the coming of age of Prince Milan. The Prince went in state on Aug. 22 to the cathedral, the three Regents accompanying him in his carriage. There was great enthusiasm manifested along the route, the crowd being greater than has ever before been seen in Belgrade. After the "Te Deum," the Regents handed over their powers to the Prince, giving at the same time a statement of the condition of the country. The Prince thanked them for their administration, adding, "I take upon myself a heavy task, but its accomplishment will be facilitated by the fact that I retain the co-operation of the Regents." There was subsequently a reception of the diplomatic body and other envoys. M. Dolgorouki remitted to the Prince an autograph letter from the Czar. The British diplomatic agent, being the senior diplomatist, delivered a speech, in which he alluded to the progress made by Servia during the Regency, and the friendly relations maintained with foreign Powers. The Prince, in reply, protested his anxiety to continue the good relations existing with foreign countries. A dinner was subsequently given to the diplomatic body in the Palace. A large number of guests were also entertained at a banquet by the municipality. Numerous toasts were proposed to the Prince, the Servian people, and the Regency, by various speakers. The town was illuminated, and there was a display of fireworks.

"The municipal police," says the Shanghai *Courser*, "have succeeded in breaking up a most extensive and thoroughly organized gambling concern that had for some time established itself close to the San-Kung-Doog temple, in the back slums of Hongkew. The scene of operations was most skillfully chosen. The spot is surrounded by a creek on three sides, and, being rather beyond the police limits, is seldom visited by its officers, while the presence of the temple was no doubt expected to serve as a blind by accounting for any conflux of people toward the spot. The promoters erected a spacious tent, furnishing it with benches, tables, gaming apparatus, &c., sufficient for the accommodation of several hundred people. An immense gambling business had been attracted to the new premises from all parts of the foreign settlement. The police applied to the native authorities for a force, the members of which were personally unknown to the gamblers, and the place was surrounded and the game started. More than 200 men were found in the tent, and the scene of confusion that ensued was indescribable. Benches and tables were overset, money and gambling apparatus tossed about, gold and silver bangles and other valuables brought to raise money on were thrown into the creek. Brought to bay, the delinquents, for the most part pugnacious men of Fuhkien, seized bamboos and whatever else was handy, and a brisk fight ensued, in which hard blows were given and received. The result was the capture of twenty-six of the gamblers, including five of the chief associates. On being brought before Chien and Dr. McCartee at the Mixed Court, the two chief ringleaders were sentenced to receive 200 blows, and to be sent into the city for deportation to Fuhkien; three subordinates got 100 blows, one month's cangue, and another 100 blows to finish with; minor delinquents got 100 blows and cangue for half a month, while some were left to be dealt with at the discretion of the Court."

NOTES TO THE EDITOR.

The Fourteenth Plank in the Republican Platform.

To the Editor of the New-York Times:

While the opponents of the Administration seem disposed to question the significance of the gracious bow the Philadelphia Convention, in its fourteenth plank, made to the women of the republic, it is interesting to note its effect in their growing enthusiasm for the success of the Republican Party, and the undefined dread they universally feel, lest by any unhappy accident, the reins of Government should fall into the hands of the Tammany coalition, and Horace Greeley, the arch enemy of woman's enfranchisement, become our next President. From an extensive correspondence with leading women, I find they fully realize the prophetic significance of the fourteenth plank, in which for the first time in the history of our Government, a national political Convention demands "wider fields of usefulness, and additional rights for woman."

Seeing this they desire to manifest their gratitude by a cordial support of the party that has thus taken the initiative step toward woman's enfranchisement.

But as women have no votes what can they do toward influencing an election?

Their power is great in rousing enthusiasm for any cause. At the social board, at the fireside, singing the songs of freedom, in patriotic conversation with neighbors, by their presence in political meetings, by appeals in our journals, by public speeches; everywhere by pen and tongue, as taste or genius may dictate.

As women suffer equally with men all the evils of bad government, they have equal interest in maintaining Republican institutions, and inspiring a progessive liberal policy. But what a misnomer is the term "liberal" for a party that proclaims in its platform equality for men only, ignoring one-half the American people, and that half largely representing the education, property and moral power of the nation.

A party which declares its gratitude to soldiers and sailors, and makes no mention of the patriotism and devotion of the wives, mothers and sisters in the late war. In all these nice points affecting the interests of womanhood the Republican platform stands out in pleasing contrast with the cold, lean products of those anchorites in the Cincinnati Convention.

This fourteenth plank, guiding "respectful consideration" of the best interests of woman, accompanied by the letters of the nominees in the same chivalrous vein, with the many acts of justice and generosity toward woman that has gilded Gen. Grant's Administration, commands the gratitude of all thoughtful women, and marks a new and higher era of civilization.

This proposed act of justice would be the fitting crowning work of that party that emancipated and enfranchised the slaves on our Southern soil and saved the National Union.

In this general disintegration of parties, it is interesting to see how naturally each class of mind enrolls itself where it legitimately belongs in spite of the efforts of political henchmen to the contrary.

While the worst opponents of woman's enfranchisement have left the Republican Party, for the Tammany coalition, those who have been its staunchest friends for the last quarter of a century are again marshaling their forces under its banner. We find there such men as William Lloyd Garrison, Gerrit Smith, Wendell Phillips, Henry Ward Beecher, Benjamin F. Wade, George William Curtis, George B. Cheever, Frederick Douglass, Robert Purvis and Andrew D. White, whose pronounced opinions on this question have known no variableness nor shadow of turning.

Such names are an assurance to the women of the nation that their trust in the future action of the Republican Party will not be betrayed.

Yours, respectfully,
ELIZABETH CADY STANTON.

TENAFLY, N. J., Wednesday, Sept. 4, 1872.

The Gas Nuisance.

To the Editor of the New-York Times:

Knowing that your journal is always ready to show up the abuses and nuisances in this great Metropolis, the writer cannot forbear alluding to the vile, all-pervading, and noxious gases which are supposed to emanate from the manufactories of illuminating gas on the east side of the town, to the detriment of the sick and the well.

These "two-and-seventy stenches of Cologne" abound almost every evening, more particularly between the hours of 8 and 12, in the district bounded by Fourteenth and Twenty-sixth streets, and Broadway, Madison-avenue, and East River, and perhaps further, and are often inhaled in open day. While inditing this, as if reminding me of the pestilence, the air is loaded with the sickening health-destroyer.

If persons in good health are so much disturbed by the nuisance, how much more the sick and enfeebled, who depend not so much on medicaments for their restoration, as pure air and good nursing.

The Health Department of New-York—said to be well organized in every way, and clothed with ample power—must be aware of what is going on in our midst, and the inhabitants look to its officers for the eradication of this crying evil.

FERRET.

NEW-YORK, Thursday, Aug. 29, 1872.

Strange Talk from a Democrat.

Mr. Robert Morris, a Boston Democrat, made a speech in that city a few nights ago, in which he admitted the commission of unparalleled atrocities by the Kuklux in the South, and complained, not that the strong arm of the National Government had been used to seize and bring to punishment the ruffians, but that too much leniency had been shown them. He said: "Concerning this Kuklux business, I am tired of hearing of it. Under what Administration did it originate and still continue to exist? It was a creature of the war, to be sure, but it is the Grant Administration that suffers it to exist. Give me a good black Sheriff and a good posse, or give me a black regiment and place me where the Kuklux are, and you will not hear of them much longer. If I had the power for twenty minutes, wherever I found a black man hung one day, you would find a white man the next, and you would not long find the Kuklux there."

GOSSIP FROM PARIS.

The Distribution of Prizes at the Conservatory—Past and Present—Minister Simon and M. Auber—The Composer's Career.

From Our Own Correspondent.

PARIS, Saturday, Aug. 17, 1872.

A little over two years ago, on the 1st of August, 1870, I had the pleasure of assisting at the annual distribution of prizes at the Conservatoire de Musique of Paris. Marshal Vaillant presided, as Minister of Public Instruction, and by his side was Auber, for more than a quarter of a century director of the Conservatoire, and author of the "Muette de Portici." The old man bore the weight of eighty odd years with no apparent effort; he was as gay, as chatty, as light-hearted and high-spirited as when our fathers knew him fifty years ago. The Marshal was satisfied with the results of the session, he spoke warmly of the progress made by the students, and was applauded with hearty enthusiasm. Auber bowed and bowed, bestowing upon us that superb smile which all who have seen this *spirituel* old man will well remember, and again and again we applauded more for Auber's sake than for the ceremonies of the day. We were proud to do him honor, and happy indeed to see him there, at his great age, giving the weight of his illustrious name to the Conservatoire. If ever people were satisfied that their time had been well and agreeably spent, it was those who left the hall on that day regretting that the exercises had been so short, and turning at the door to get one more look at the charming composer. Auber's face can never be forgotten. His smile penetrated deep into the memory. Half ironical or *moqueur*, half earnest or serious, but a seriousness which seemed ever ready to give way before a natural fondness for raillery, that smile gave you an idea of a combination of qualities which are indescribable—gayety, happy-good humor, an easy temper, *insouciance* and a natural aversion to everything which did not add to the charms of life and of human intercourse. M. de Remusat is the only man whom I can now recall who has Auber's peculiar expression, although it is seen in a lesser degree in the portraits of Disraeli and Rossini. During that session Auber had worked hard for the good of the Conservatoire, and was happy at the results. A few weeks later he found himself living in the midst of the revolution, making spiritual epigrams upon the men of September and giving some *bons mots* upon them which were felt more keenly than a score of sharp attacks. But the men of September soon had an opportunity to revenge themselves. Among the first horses taken by order of the Government to be butchered for meat were the fine carriage horses of Auber. Dr. Ricord protested. At Auber's great age carriage exercise was a necessity of life, but the horses were taken, nevertheless, and the composer, deprived of his exercise and of his accustomed food, soon took to his bed and died before the end of the Commune.

THIS YEAR'S CEREMONIES.

Last year there was no distribution of prizes, but this year the usual ceremonies took place. Marshal Vaillant is no more, but in his place was the fat and heavy figure of Jules Simon, and by his side the modest and unassuming Ambroise Thomas, the new director of the Conservatoire. Auber in his grave, M. Simon could safely avenge himself for the sharp and witty sayings put upon him. But in order to do so he must ally himself with the clerical party and repeat their charges. M. Jules Simon has written books against the clergy, and has prided himself on being a free-thinker, but with an end in view one can forget his record. The ultramontanes have long waged a bitter war against Auber, and because he wrote delicious music. They could not bear the idea of letting the devil have all of the best tunes, and, horrible to say, Auber never wrote a line of sacred music in his life. He has not a mass to his name; he never even tried his hand at a stabat mater. But he wrote charming music, all the same, and since his compositions could not be condemned as works of art, he was condemned as a heretic. Every effort was made to get him out of the directory in order to fill his place with a man who had written a mass, or who would turn the attention of students in that direction, teaching them that a stabat mater was the highest end and aim of a composer. Hence they tried to condemn him on the ground of immorality; but his life was found to be extraordinarily simple and pure. There was not a Christian in the land who had a clearer record. Finally a charge was found, and for ten years or more Auber has been condemned as too indolent a man to be an instructor of youth, and the clericals have never ceased to spread the idea in the circles of Paris having influence at Court.

MINISTER SIMON AND AUBER.

This explanation is necessary in order to understand the meaning of the words uttered by M. Jules Simon the present year. Naturally they are universally condemned, or the incident is passed over in silence.

"I will say without disguise," M. Simon remarked, "that we should not have given him as a master for studious youth. Read him from one end to the other, follow his history from its commencement, his name is Facility. He succeeded in everything in art and in life. Those who were the least musical loved him at sight, and one felt that his airs came of themselves and without costing him a single effort. There is more real labor in the shortest scene of 'Les Huguenots' than in the whole of 'La Muette,' which is, however, a *chef-d'œuvre*. Yes; that man has produced more than almost any one else, and it is certain that he has never worked. He was called ignorant; not at all, but he must have known without having learned, for Auber taking any trouble is simply impossible to imagine as Auber writing coarse and dull music. He was a magnificent exception, and his place was never here."

I give two expressions here which will give food for reflection. The first part of this extract is a simple criticism on the part of Jules Simon, who, it appears, does not think that a man of genius who does not show outward signs of hard labor is fit to be a director of the Conservatory. Not many will agree with him there. Mozart composed a sonata at five years of age, and one might cite a thousand musicians to M. Simon who have become bald-headed with labor and study without having written a line of music equal to that of this infant prodigy. Rossini composed his "Moïse" in a few days' time, his "Semiramis" in two weeks, and the "Barbier de Seville" is said to have cost him but little labor. The author of "Der Freischutz" and "Sylvana" wrote operas at seventeen, and had one of his works performed when only twenty-one; and instances enough could be given to show that great and continued labor is not always necessary for the production of works of genius.

AUBER'S CAREER.

But was Auber an indolent man, and did he produce his works without labor? I fancy we can safely say to M. Jules Simon, as Prof. ——, of Dartmouth, was accustomed to do when he had led a puzzled student on from fallacy to fallacy: "You may sit down, Sir; quite the reverse of all you have said is true." An English amateur of autographs was once thrown in company with Horace Vernet, and immediately drew his album on him, asking the painter to give him a sketch, as a souvenir. Vernet complied, and with a few rapid strokes of the pencil designed a magnificent charger. The amateur did not seem to be contented with this rapidity of drawing, and made some remark to that effect. "You are mistaken," said Horace Vernet, "I have been working twenty-five years upon that horse." And Auber had been at work for many years before he sat down to write "Le Domino Noir," the music of which "made itself" when once started. Auber was an indefatigable worker. The sun never surprised him in bed. He rose at 5 o'clock in the morning, and did his day's work before M. Simon had opened his eyes, and giving such men as the latter the idea of indolence, because he was at the disposition of his friends, and was never *seen* at work. But if he did little about the Conservatoire his pupils adored him, and his name gave a world-wide glory to the institution. His place was at the Conservatoire, M. Jules Simon to the contrary notwithstanding. However, M. Simon took his revenge before Auber, and like the ass in the fable, gave one parting kick to the dead lion, then began to flatter the present director. He laid it on thick.

Poor Ambroise Thomas was as red as a peony, and looked about him as if for a place to hide. There is no more modest man in the world than Ambroise Thomas, and he loved Auber to idolatry. Finally he became so nervous and embarrassed that every one pitied him. His looks reminded one of the story told about a gentleman who was invited out to meet Lord Cowley. The crowd was so great that he could not approach the English Ambassador, and had not been presented. After a time he leaned against a chimney, gaping and tired, and found himself beside a mild-looking gentleman who appeared in the same condition.

"In fact, Monsieur," said he to his neighbor, "I don't know how you feel, but I don't find all this enormously amusing."

"Ah!" said the other with great coolness, "you can leave whenever you please, but I—I am the master of the house."

Ambroise Thomas looked as if he would have left with a great deal of pleasure had he not been master of the house, but as it was he was obliged to bear Jules Simon's flatteries and listen calmly to the *bizarre* criticisms upon his dear old friend Auber.

GOSSIP ABOUT POLITICS.

In the way of politics we have nothing at all new, *tout le monde étant aux eaux

FINANCIAL.

$5,000,000.

A PRIME INVESTMENT AT A LOW PRICE.

THE CHICAGO AND CANADA SOUTHERN

First Mortgage Sinking Fund 30 Years

SEVEN PER CENT. GOLD BONDS

Interest Payable April and October at the Union Trust Company,

AT 90 AND ACCRUED INTEREST.

This road is the Western link in the new AIR LINE from BUFFALO to CHICAGO and runs from the Detroit River to Chicago in nearly a straight line.

The road is a part of the same line as the Canada Southern and is being built by the same men, viz.: Milton Courtright, John F. Tracy, David Dows, Wm. L. Scott, Henry Farnam, R. A. Forsyth, Jno. M. Burke, M. L. Sykes, Jr., all Directors either in the Chicago and North-west or the Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific; George Opdyke, of the Midland Road; Sidney Dillon, Daniel Drew, John Ross, David Stewart, Samuel J. Tilden, Kenyon Cox, and other prominent railroad men.

The Road, like the Canada Southern, will have steel rails (60 pounds to the yard) throughout; is practically straight and level; much shorter, and can be run with greater speed and safety than any other road connecting with Buffalo and Chicago.

Twenty-five miles are finished and running; seventy-five miles more are so far advanced as to be finished by Jan. 1; and the entire road will be completed during the ensuing year. Steel rails and ties for one-half the entire road have already been purchased.

The builders of the road control enough of its Chicago feeders to obtain for it a profitable business from the start, having projected the line to accommodate existing business, and having seen the necessity for another trunk line between Chicago and the Atlantic sea-board, located expressly with the view of obtaining the cheapest transportation practicable.

The branch lines will make the shortest connections between Chicago and Toledo, and Chicago and Detroit, as well as between all these points and Buffalo.

The Canada Southern Bonds, in every particular like these, were eagerly taken, the last of them several weeks ago, by the best class of investors, and were on the market a shorter time than any other railroad loan of like amount for years past.

The proceeds of these bonds will complete the entire line, and we recommend them with the same confidence as we did the Canada Southern, and regard them as an every way a choice security.

Pamphlets and all information furnished by

LEONARD, SHELDON & FOSTER

BANKERS, NO. 10 WALL-ST.,

WINSLOW, LANIER & CO.,

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TWENTY PER CENT. INVESTMENT.

THE AMERICAN BRIDGE CO.,

OF CHICAGO, ILL.,

L. B. BOOMER, of Chicago, President.

(ORGANIZED AUG. 1, 1870.)

AUTHORIZED CAPITAL STOCK, $1,000,000.

The Subscription Books will Positively Close Oct. 1, 1872.

The whole amount of the authorized Capital Stock of this Company not having been issued, the balance will be issued to subscribers at par, payment for same to be made in four installments of 25 per cent. each, viz.:

Twenty-five per cent. July 15, 25 per cent. Aug. 1, 25 per cent. Sept. 1, and 25 per cent. Oct. 1, 1872. Past due installments to be paid with interest at the time of subscription.

Books now open at the office of the undersigned will be positively closed at 3 P. M., Oct. 1, 1872.

The total amount of full-paid stock issued at this time is $414,700, and on this basis the Company shows a present surplus of $136,280 97, and is now doing a flourishing business. Over 1,000 men are almost constantly employed in their extensive works, and they now have on hand $2,500,000 of work for various railroads in the United states, among which may be mentioned the Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific, Lake Shore and Michigan Southern, Chicago and Northwestern, Missouri, Kansas and Texas, Michigan Central, Missouri Pacific, &c., &c.,) and the net profit on this work alone will be over $400,000. The Company is now offered work to the amount of more than $6,000,000, including some of the largest bridges ever built in this country: to accept of which and further business necessitates a larger working capital, as immense amounts of material have to be kept constantly on hand, and the Company are frequently obliged to receive in part payment for their work railroad and other bonds, which are perfectly good securities, but not always immediately marketable.

The THIRTY ACRES *of land in Chicago belonging to the Company, and on which their extensive machine and other shops are situated, is now worth nearly $300,000, and prominent real estate dealers say it will be worth, in six years, at least $1,000,000—an amount equal to the whole proposed capital.*

The career of the AMERICAN BRIDGE COMPANY, though brief, has already fully demonstrated the profitableness of the enterprise. The Company has constructed since its organization, and up to the 31st of December, 1871, a total of 3,137 feet of bridges, 18 turning-tables and 16 iron roofs, and pneumatic and screw pile substructures, costing $3,400,000, and have facilities for the construction of 100 tons of pneumatic piles, unsurpassed by any Company in the country, and a capacity for the construction of at least 150 feet of bridges for every working day in the year.

The iron railroad and highway bridge at Leavenworth, of three spans of 340 feet each, and the Union Pacific Bridge across the Missouri River, of eleven spans of 250 feet each, were constructed by this Company.

The net profit arising from this business, as shown by the books of the Company, up to the 31st of March, 1872, was the sum of $373,482 14, or at the rate of $324,089 28 per annum, being over 50 per cent. upon the capital stock then outstanding. With the proposed new structures machinery, &c., the Company will have much greater capacity, and the proceeds of the increased issue of stock will enable them to buy material for cash, thereby making a saving of from $50,000 to $75,000 per year.

The Company can undoubtedly, on above basis, make dividends of from 20 to 25 per cent. per annum on the full amount of capital, $1,000,000, with a fair prospect of a considerable increase.

The undersigned are prepared to give to those inquiring the fullest details and entire satisfaction regarding the reliability of the Company's statements, and the unquestioned integrity and ability of its officers.

We confidently commend to capitalists the above as an investment worthy their attention.

MARVIN BROS.,

BANKERS.

No. 49 Exchange-place, New-York,

Sole Financial Agents in the East.

OFFICE NEW-YORK FLOATING DRY DOCK COMPANY, } No. 254 SOUTH-ST. NEW-YORK, Aug. 31, 1872.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED TRUSTEES of a series of bonds made by the New-York Floating Dry Dock Company, and secured by deed of trust made to us for the same, of one hundred thousand dollars, said deed dated 1st November, 1870, we Trustees hereby give notice to holders of same that the principal and interest will be paid on presentation at the office of the New-York Floating Dry Dock Company, No. 254 South-st.

Notice is given herewith that the interest on same will cease on 1st day of October next.

FRANCIS SKIDDY, } Trustees.
WM. L. COGSWELL, }

CONTROLLER'S OFFICE, CITY HALL, } BROOKLYN, Sept. 3, 1872.

SEALED PROPOSALS, PROPERLY Indorsed, will be received at this office until 1 o'clock on WEDNESDAY, 12th inst., for the purchase of $100,000 seven per cent. Central-avenue Sewerage Bonds, due in 1882.

Proposals must state price offered, in addition to accrued interest.

F. A. SCHROEDER, Controller.

PRESIDENT'S OFFICE OF THE SOUTHERN WESTCHESTER RAILROAD COMPANY, } NO. 141 BROADWAY, NEW-YORK, Aug. 6, 1872.

A MEETING OF THE STOCKHOLDERS of this Company is hereby called, to be held at this office, on the 10th day of September, 1872, at 1 o'clock P. M., for the purpose of taking into consideration and voting upon an agreement for the consolidation of this Company and the railroad with the Company and railroad of the New-York, Housatonic and Northern Railroad Company, made and entered into by the directors of said Companies respectively.

S. SERGEANT, Secretary.

GREAT WESTERN MARINE INSURANCE STOCK for sale by WM. C. GILMAN, No. 40 Pine-st.

FINANCIAL.

I., B. & W.

EXTENSION RAILWAY

First Mortgage 7 Per Cent. Convertible

GOLD BONDS,

AT 90 AND INTEREST,

Issued by the **Indianapolis, Bloomington and Western Railway** to aid in building its EXTENSION line West, in a direct line from Champaign (185 miles) to the Mississippi River at Keokuk, and a branch from White Heath (32 miles) to Decatur, all in the State of Illinois. The bonds are secured by a **first and only mortgage** on the EXTENSION, now being rapidly constructed in the most thorough manner by able and experienced contractors who represent a capital of several millions of dollars, which insures the last rail being laid at an early date. About 60 miles are already finished and 110 miles graded; the whole line, 217 miles, will be completed early in 1873. We have been connected and entirely familiar with the I., B. & W. Railway from its early organization. It was completed in the Autumn of 1870, and has developed rapidly into a SUCCESSFUL AND WEALTHY CORPORATION, having a large revenue from its largely increasing business. With the EXTENSION it will be one corporation, with 420 miles of road, **located in a commanding position in the heart of the best portion** of the country. The counties on the line of the EXTENSION in 1870 had a population of 242,330; valuation of real and personal estate, $181,000,000; bushels of grain raised, 27,000,000; value of farm products, $25,570,000, and live stock, $18,349,000; **to which may safely be added 15 per cent. to represent the present population and value.** THE COUNTIES ON THE OLD LINE AND THE EXTENSION TOGETHER CONTAIN A POPULATION OF NEARLY THREE-QUARTERS OF A MILLION, AND A PROPERTY VALUATION EXCREDING $400,000,000.

From these statistics it will be readily seen that the EXTENSION will have a **Local Business that will make it a complete success.** In addition to this it will have the entire **Through Traffic** of the **Missouri, Iowa, and Nebraska Road,** connecting with it on the Mississippi River, and extending West to the Missouri, 300 miles, where it connects with the Midland Pacific in Nebraska. These two corporations, and also the Peoria and Rock Island (91 miles,) and the Davenport and St. Paul (300 miles,) although separate corporations, ARE CONTROLLED IN THE INTEREST OF THE INDIANAPOLIS, BLOOMINGTON AND WESTERN RAILWAY, and, practically, will be a united line of more than 1,200 miles, the through business of which will pass over the I., B. & W. This is an East and West trunk route and **has no parallel competing line.** The Eastern connections at Indianapolis are the **Pennsylvania Central, Baltimore and Ohio, Bellefontaine, Lake Shore, and New-York Central,** and other roads centering at this point. From the Sea-board to the West and North-west **distances are materially reduced** via this system of roads; so much so that it cannot fail to be the **popular line for travel and business.** Liberal subscriptions to the stock were made by towns and counties on the line of the EXTENSION, and the remainder has been taken by **experienced railroad men and Eastern capitalists.**

These facts cannot fail to make the bonds, which **will be issued only on completed road,** take high rank among the best railway securities.

The bonds are $1,000 each, convertible into stock at par, at the option of the holder, and may be registered free of charge.

Coupons, payable January and July 1, free of tax. The bonds may now be had from banks and bankers throughout the country.

We offer them at present at **90 and interest,** and recommend them strongly to our friends and investors as one of the safest and most desirable securities on the market.

Bonds delivered free of express charges. Maps, pamphlets and circulars furnished on application.

TURNER BROTHERS,

Bankers, No. 14 Nassau-st.

ELEVEN PER CENT. INVESTMENT.

FIRST-CLASS SECURITY.

STATE LOAN OF ARKANSAS,

7 PER CT. THIRTY-YEAR BONDS.

A LIMITED NUMBER ARE OFFERED

AT 70 CENTS

AND ACCRUED INTEREST.

In these Bonds "the faith and credit of the State are solemnly and irrevocably pledged for the payment and redemption on the principal and interest of each and every bond."

THE

ARKANSAS CENTRAL RAILWAY,

BY

SPECIAL MORTGAGE INDORSEMENT

PLEDGE THEIR SPLENDID ENDOWMENT OF LANDS, RAILROAD ROLLING STOCK, STATION-HOUSES AND ALL OTHER PROPERTY FOR THE FAITHFUL PAYMENT OF INTEREST AND PRINCIPAL, MAKING THIS A

DOUBLE AND UNDOUBTED SECURITY.

Interest payable April and October, at the Union Trust Company, New-York.

Maps, circulars, pamphlets, giving full particulars of the loan, to be had by addressing

WILLIAMS & ROSTWICK,

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NEW-YORK.

WOOD & DAVIS,

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DEALERS IN RAILROAD BONDS,

Keep on hand a variety of choice bonds to supply investors, furnish bonds advertised on the market at subscription prices, execute orders for Government securities, gold and railroad stocks, and do a

GENERAL BANKING BUSINESS,

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Formerly of Vermilye & Co.

FIRST-CLASS RAILROAD BONDS.

We offer for sale a limited amount of the LEAVENWORTH, ATCHISON AND NORTH-WESTERN RAILROAD COMPANY'S FIRST MORTGAGE 7 PER CENT. BONDS, INTEREST GUARANTEED BY THE PACIFIC RAILROAD COMPANY OF MISSOURI.

The Bonds are due Oct. 1, 1889. Interest payable April 1 and Oct. 1, AT THE NATIONAL BANK OF COMMERCE. Whole amount of the loan $500,000.

The Road runs from Leavenworth to Atchison, Kansas, 21 15-100 miles, and is leased to the Pacific Railroad of Missouri until Dec. 31, 1889. By the terms of this lease the Leavenworth, Atchison and North-western Railroad receives 45 per cent. of the gross earnings, but never less than $42,500 per annum.

THE PACIFIC RAILROAD OF MISSOURI AGREES TO DEPOSIT THE SEMI-ANNUAL INTEREST ON THESE BONDS IN THE NATIONAL BANK OF COMMERCE.

The Road has been in operation under this lease for the past two years.

We can, therefore, confidently recommend these Bonds as a first-class security in every respect, and advise investment in them, as we are enabled to offer them at the LOW PRICE OF 85 AND ACCRUED INTEREST.

HALLGARTEN & CO., No. 28 Broad-st.
NORTHRUP & CHICK, No. 6 Wall-st.

OFFICE OF THE NEW-YORK, HOUSATONIC AND NORTHERN RAILROAD COMPANY, } No. 157 BROADWAY.

NEW-YORK, Aug. 6, 1872.

A MEETING OF THE STOCKHOLDERS of this Company is hereby called, to be held at this office, on the 10th day of September, 1872, at 10 o'clock A. M., for the following purposes, viz.:

1. To take action on the acceptance of a resolution adopted by the General Assembly of the State of Connecticut at its May session, 1872, affecting the charter of the Company and its powers and privileges in that State.

2. For the purpose of taking into consideration and voting upon an agreement for the consolidation of this Company and its railroad with the Company and railroad of the southern Westchester Railroad Company, made and entered into by the directors of said Company respectively.

S. SERGEANT, Secretary.

RAILROAD, STATE, CITY AND COUNTY BONDS bought and sold by

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Investment securities a specialty.

FINANCIAL.

TRAFFIC GUARANTEE, AND REDEMPTION BONDS.

7 per cent. Gold Interest.

Mortgage $15,000 per Mile.

Completed and Fully Equipped Railway,

228 Miles Long.

Entirely Within the

STATE OF ILLINOIS.

FIRST MORTGAGE SINKING FUND, GOLD BONDS OF THE

Springfield and Illinois South-eastern Railway,

INTEREST PAYABLE FEBRUARY 1 AND AUGUST, FREE OF GOVERNMENT TAX, AT THE

Office of the Farmers' Loan and Trust Company, IN NEW-YORK.

PRICE, 90 AND ACCRUED INTEREST.

These Bonds, representing an unusually light Mortgage upon a Finished Railway, fully equipped, extending centrally through one of the richest and most populous States of the Union, remarkable for the great success of its different Railways, offer unusual inducements to the investor seeking a

PROFITABLE AND SAFE SECURITY.

The holder of this Bond has the right to vote at all elections.

By the terms of a Traffic Guarantee Contract with the well-known

CLEVELAND, COLUMBUS, CINCINNATI AND INDIANAPOLIS RAILWAY,

(four of whose Directors, including the President and Vice-President, are also Directors in the Springfield and Illinois South-eastern Railway,) a large number of these Bonds will be purchased by lot semi-annually at Par and Accrued Interest, giving the fortunate holders Eleven per cent. Profit on their investment, besides nearly Nine per cent. Interest.

We respectfully invite the attention of all Capitalists to this Security as a particularly safe and desirable one.

Pamphlets and Maps with full particulars furnished by us on written or personal application.

JONES & SCHUYLER,

NO. 12 PINE-ST., NEW-YORK,

Financial Agents of the Company.

MIDLAND FIRST MORTGAGE

7 Per Cent. Gold Bonds,

ISSUED BY THE MONTCLAIR RAILWAY CO.

AND

GUARANTEED BY NEW-YORK MIDLAND.

The MONTCLAIR is the DIRECT and SHORT LINE OF THE MIDLAND through New-Jersey. Its bonds are issued on the basis of half cost. They are GUARANTEED. It is a home road, running DIRECT FROM THE CITY OF NEW-YORK, assured of a large business and a fine future. THIS BOND OFFERS AN ADVANTAGE OVER ALL THE OTHER MIDLAND FIRST MORTGAGE BONDS, IN THAT, WITH EQUAL SECURITY, IT IS LESS IN PRICE.

We commend it to investors.

For sale by

Allen, Stephens & Co.,

BANKERS,

NO. 25 PINE-ST.

THE NATIONAL TRUST COMPANY,

OF THE CITY OF NEW-YORK,

Nos. 261 AND 263 BROADWAY, CORNER OF WARREN-ST.

Capital, - - - - - $1,000,000

Pays Four per Cent. Interest per Annum on Deposit, Subject to Check at Sight.

Pays Five Per Cent. Interest Per Annum on Special Deposits Remaining Six Months or Longer.

ACTS AS TRUSTEE FOR ESTATES, and especially for RAILROAD MORTGAGE BONDS.

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FIRST-CLASS RAILROAD AND MUNICIPAL BONDS ALWAYS ON HAND FOR INVESTMENT.

BUY AND SELL ON COMMISSION

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MAKING LIBERAL ADVANCES

ON

INTEREST ON DEPOSITS.

N. Y. & OSWEGO MIDLAND RAILROAD

is rapidly approaching completion, and TRAINS ARE NOW RUNNING over nearly the entire length of 400 miles.

THE SEVEN PER CENT. CONVERTIBLE BONDS (and a second mortgage) are offered FOR SALE at 85 AND INTEREST.

We offer these Bonds now as one of the cheapest and best securities on this market, and with a better prospect for an advance in price in the future than any offering.

Pamphlets giving full particulars may be had on application.

UTLEY & BOWEN,

BANKERS AND BROKERS,

No. 4 WALL-ST., NEW-YORK.

No. 68 BROAD-ST., NEW-YORK, Sept. 2, 1872.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT Mr. LEOPOLD SCHMIDT, of the late firms of J. W. SCHMIDT & CO. and JANSSEN, SCHMIDT & RUPERTI and their branch house in New-Orleans and Savannah, has opened this day a general banking and commission business under the firm of LEOPOLD SCHMIDT & CO.

Mr. ALBERT RICHTER receives an interest in the business, and will sign the firm name per procuration.

FINANCIAL.

GUARANTEED BONDS

On a Completed Road.

THE CINCINNATI, RICHMOND,

AND

Fort Wayne Railroad Co.'s

FIRST MORTGAGE

7 Per Cent. Gold Bonds,

HAVING 50 YEARS TO RUN, PRINCIPAL AND INTEREST PAYABLE IN UNITED STATES GOLD COIN, "not inferior to the present standard." Interest payable semi-annually in New-York, on the 1st day of June and December, and guaranteed jointly and severally by

The Cincinnati, Hamilton and Dayton Railroad Company,

The Pennsylvania Company, and

The Grand Rapids and Indiana Railroad Company.

The road is entirely completed and in operation, and extends from Fort Wayne, Indiana, to Richmond, 90 miles in the State of Indiana, and connects the Pittsburg, Fort Wayne, and Chicago Railway, the Grand Rapids and Indiana Railroad, and the whole system of roads under the control of the Pennsylvania Company in Indiana and Michigan, with the Cincinnati, Hamilton, and Dayton Railroad to Cincinnati and Southern Ohio and Indiana. The road is leased for 99 years to the Grand Rapids and Indiana Railroad Company, and operated by it for the joint account of the guarantors, and by a contract entered into between the Grand Rapids and Indiana Railroad Company, for the Pennsylvania Company, lessees of the Pittsburg, Fort Wayne, and Chicago Railway, and the Cincinnati, Hamilton, and Dayton Railroad Company, reciprocal interchange of business; all these Companies agree to throw all their freight and passenger traffic which may be appropriately done over this road, thus insuring it, from the outset, a large volume of business. The holders of these Bonds are thus trebly secured:

First—By a first mortgage on a finished road now in full operation.

Secondly—By a contract for interchange of business with three prosperous and powerful corporations, controlling in its favor a vast amount of business.

Thirdly—By the direct and absolute guarantee, jointly and severally, by INDORSEMENT ON THE BONDS by the above-mentioned three Companies.

The whole issue of the Bonds is $1,800,000, or $20,000 per mile, and but a limited amount are now offered to investors. Price, 99 1-2 and Interest. Circulars and information furnished by

WINSLOW, LANIER & CO.,

No. 27 Pine-st.

THE INDIANA

AND

ILLINOIS CENTRAL

RAILWAY COMPANY'S

First Mortgage 7 Per Cent.

SINKING FUND

GOLD BONDS,

FREE OF GOVERNMENT TAX.

An East and West Air Line of 152 Miles, Indianapolis, Ind., to Decatur, Ill.

This road passes through a belt of the best settled and richest agricultural and mineral country of Indiana and Illinois, averaging thirty miles in width with no other East and West railway built or projected through it. It crosses, in Parke and Vermilion Counties, the rich

BLOCK COAL FIELD

of Indiana, which alone will supply an ample business.

Thirty miles through Douglass County, Illinois, just completed, opened and paid for.

Whole Western Division Montezuma to Decatur, eighty-five miles, to be finished in 1872. Grading nearly done and materials (except iron) already procured; bridge over Wabash ready for superstructure.

Eastern Division, sixty-seven miles, partly graded, and to be finished in 1873.

$1,300,000 IN CASH ALREADY EXPENDED ON THE ROAD, AND $1,500,000 REMAINING TO BE CALLED FROM TWENTY SUBSCRIBERS, AMONG WHOM ARE W. H. GUION, SIDNEY DILLON, JAY COOKE & CO., CLARK, DODGE & CO., MORTIMER, LIGMAN, VISSARD, FOOTE & CO., AND PAUL S. FORBES, OF NEW-YORK; BENJ. E. BATES, OF BOSTON; HENRY LEWIS, OF PHILADELPHIA, AND G. M. PULLMAN, OF CHICAGO.

Besides its right of way the Company owns 32,000 acres of land, chiefly in Indiana, of which 2,000 acres are the best BLOCK COAL LANDS. It has also SUBSCRIPTIONS IN BONDS AND CASH from counties, towns and individuals of $700,000.

The road connects at both termini with the most important THROUGH RAILWAY LINES of the West, and being by many miles shorter than any other line, will be indispensable to them, while its local business alone will insure good dividends on its stock.

Bonds $1,000 each, payable to Union Trust Company, Trustee or bearer, July 1, 1901, in gold coin. Coupons, also in gold, payable Jan. 1 and July 1, in New-York or at Union Bank of London, at fixed exchange of 27 sterling.

SINKING FUND of 2¾ per cent. a year on gross earnings to be invested by Trustee in Bonds at not exceeding par.

For sale at 90 and accrued interest, by the Financial agents of the Company,

WALKER, ANDREWS & CO.,

No. 14 Wall-st.

FIRE REINSURANCE COMPANY OF AMERICA.

Cash Capital $500,000, with privilege to increase to $1,000,000.

This Company is chartered by the State of New-York; is the first institution of the kind in this country, and is modeled after the Reinsurance Companies so long and favorably known in Germany, Austria and Russia for their large dividends.

There is no personal liability of stockholders.

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JOHN W. DIXON, 3 West 23d-st.
C. H. MEDAY, No. 542 Washington-st.
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SAMUEL LEGGETT, President.
JOHN W. DIX, Vice-President.
SAMUEL L. PARSONS, Secretary.

Temporary office, No. 163 Broadway.

The undersigned have been appointed Commissioners by the Board of Directors to receive subscriptions to the capital stock of the "Fire Reinsurance Company," and will open books for such subscriptions on MONDAY, Sept. 2, 1872, at the German-American Bank, No. 120 Broadway.

EMIL SAUER,
WILLIAM MILES.

SAFE AND PROFITABLE INVESTMENT.

CHICAGO CITY 7s.
COOK COUNTY 7s.
CHICAGO PARK 7s.

Full particulars on application.

For sale by

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